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CONVENTION IS CONCLUDED

Dominion Educational Association to Spend the Day on Pleasure Jaunt

MONTREAL NEXT PLACE OF MEETING

Officers Elected and Interesting Address From New President Heard

The Dominion Educational Association, which has been in convention here since last Tuesday afternoon brought its sessions to a conclusion last night with a general meeting in the Assembly hall.

The general closing meeting had been advertised to take place today, but it was decided to hold it with the meeting held last night. As a result the report of the nominating committee, the election of officers, resolutions, and the closing business came before last night's meeting, as well as a highly interesting speech on "The Future of Rural Schools," by Prof. J. W. Robertson, principal of the Macdonald college, Quebec, and a paper on "School Organization, Administration and Instruction," read by J. M. Greenwood, superintendent of city schools, Kansas City, Mo.

Officers Elected.

The following list of officers, submitted by the nominating committee for the ensuing two years was elected unanimously: President Dr. J. W. Robertson, Quebec; vice president A. H. McKay, Nova Scotia; general secretary, C. J. Lynde, Quebec; treasurer, Dr. A. Dale, Quebec; directors, Dr. D. Solan, Nova Scotia, W. S. Carter, New Brunswick, Theodore Ross, Prince Edward Island, R. Fletcher, Manitoba, Dr. W. C. Murray, Saskatchewan, Dr. A. Melville Scott, Alberta, Dr. J. Robinson, British Columbia, Prof. Marshall, Prof. Norman A. De Witt and C. J. Glasgow, of Ontario, G. W. Parmelee and H. J. Sliwer, of Quebec.

Montreal was decided upon as the next place of meeting. The following resolution was submitted: "Your committee appointed to consider the suggestion as printed on the convention programme, for making the Dominion Educational Association a more influential factor in Canadian education, beg to report as follows: We find that the carrying out of the suggestion made depends almost entirely on the ability of the association to secure and pay for the services of a permanent secretary, and we therefore recommend the appointment of a committee of nine members, one from each province, with power to add to their numbers to consider the whole question in its various aspects financial and otherwise to interview the governments of the different provinces and of the Dominion and ascertain whether ways and means can be found to support a permanent secretary of the association to present a complete report at the next meeting of the association.

We therefore recommend that the following constitute the committee: Professor J. W. Robertson, Quebec; P. Argue, British Columbia; A. M. Scott, Alberta; W. C. Murray, Saskatchewan; W. A. McIntyre, Manitoba; Prof. W. S. Miller, Ontario; G. W. Hamilton, New Brunswick; Dr. D. Solan, Nova Scotia; Principal S. Robertson, Prince Edward Island.

The report was moved by A. M. Scott and seconded by Inspector Gillis and carried. The following were the members of the committee who submitted the above report, A. M. Scott, Prof. J. W. Robertson, Prof. A. B. Lang, Dr. A. H. McKay and T. A. Brough.

An Earlier Meeting

Pursuant to this report being carried it was moved by A. M. Scott, and seconded by Superintendent Gillis: "That if the special committee appointed to consider the future of the Dominion Educational Association, after consultation with the executive of the association, deem it advisable to hold a conference in 1910, the authority for this convention be granted for this purpose." This was carried with one dissenting voice.

It was moved by Prof. Lang and seconded by G. M. Campbell, "that the very heartiest thanks of this association be tendered to the Provincial government, to its worship the mayor, the board of aldermen and the citizens of Victoria, to the committee of teachers of Victoria, and to the Educational Club of Vancouver, for their very cordial welcome and support; and that the press of this city be thanked for the satisfactory reports appearing in the local papers from day to day." This was carried unanimously.

The paper on "The Work of the British Science Guild," written by Prof. H. T. Barnes, professor of physics at McGill university, Montreal, which was on the programme for this morning was taken as read.

Professor Robertson.

In introducing Professor Robertson, the first speaker of the evening, President Robinson, who occupied the chair, said that he was a man who had done more for the advancement of Canada than any federal premier. He illustrated the work done by Prof. Robertson in the improvement of rural conditions, the results of which had been felt throughout the length and breadth of Canada.

Prof. Robertson said that it was very pleasant for him to be again in British Columbia, and to notice, not merely the progress but the growth which had been made in all worthy ways. The welcome extended to the educationists by the citizens of Victoria and by Dr. Robinson was very gratifying.

Alluding to the laudatory remarks about himself he said that he was proud to stand for a movement which was making great progress, and he

TEACHERS' EXCURSION

The steamer Princess Charlotte, which has been chartered to take the visiting Dominion teachers for a trip in the straits, this morning will leave the C. P. R. wharf at 9 o'clock, instead of the outer wharf as previously announced.

also expressed his pride at being elected president of the association for the ensuing two years. He paid high tribute to the foresight and patient work of Secretary Buchanan in making arrangements, so full and complete, for the visiting delegates.

His theme he said might seem far fetched, inasmuch as there were few rural schools in B. C. For a long time the improvement of rural conditions had been a main effort of the race. The best scheme that he knew was for the children to begin life in the garden. Humanity's need was a perennial Eden. Many years ago he had assisted in digging out his own home at Ottawa. The site had once been, either the seashore, or the ocean bed, for in his excavations he had come across sea shells. In the far distant past also upon this same site 2,000 feet of ice had been superimposed. It was quite possible that parliament might be buried beneath the same weight of ice in the ages to come. Even if this happened, child life would still go on, and what was wanted was to make its conditions better. He wanted to make this new earth by means of education. The out of door life was the palladium. To have good old mother earth cared for by her children. That was a thing worth while.

He liked to think of mother earth calling out to be cared for. That was a thing worth while.

The thought of Shakespeare, Tennyson, Florence Nightingale, all the shining lights of history was an inspiring one, when it was possible to lift the mass of humanity up to their level. It would be a hard task, he knew, but it was possible, and well it was worth while.

Earth the Regenerator

The out of door life, the improvement of rural conditions were the great solvents and regenerators of this race. In Canada they had a superb heritage, a heritage which they did not make, which they neither bought nor inherited. It was a small part. They merely entered upon the ownership of this great country. When in the history of mankind did seven millions of people own half a continent? Here in British Columbia were the everlasting mountains, the running streams, the hidden valleys—productive and fertile—only now coming to light. They must get a new opportunity to match this matchless heritage. That was a thing worth while.

Canadians were a young people, who had all the handicaps, and all the unsullied advantages of youth. He had been used, said the speaker, to speaking in superlatives. He believed that he could still hold his own with anyone in this respect. The teachers whom he was addressing had the best chance of making a nation that any similar body ever had. He had heard people who belittled the teaching profession. (Continued on Page 2.)

INDIANS MAKE LARGE DEMANDS

Northern Tribes Lay Claim to All Territory They Inhabit

Hazelton, July 15.—The meeting between the Indian Commissioners and the local tribesmen representatives here was continued last evening, after a two-day session. The proceedings were confined exclusively to the hearing of the Indians' version of their troubles, and their claims and demands for remuneration and redress in connection therewith and spokesmen were appointed by each separate tribe to present their cases separately to the commissioners. Their contentions and claims differed only as to the tribal territory of each village. Collectively, their claims for the surrender to them of their lands involved the whole country.

Contending that the land was theirs by right of inheritance, and arguing that it had never been taken from them by conquest nor negotiated for by purchase or otherwise, they lay claim to the entire territory. As a further proof that they had been unfairly dealt with in connection with their lands they quoted instances where they had been promised land concessions along the main Skeena and Bulkley river valleys, running into hundreds of thousands of acres, by former Indian agents and commissioners.

The granting of their demands would mean the doing away with the present reserve system, the re-establishment of their tribal customs and laws for the administration of the territory, as they existed before the coming of the white men, and would involve the forfeiture by the whites of all their rights, claims and interests in the country.

The meeting was very orderly, and no hostile sentiments were expressed, except when, after asking for the decision of the commissioners on the matter, and being assured that the matter would have to be first submitted to the department, they wanted the commissioners to issue an order preventing the location by white settlers of any more disputed territory till the decision of the government had been rendered. On being informed that such action was beyond the power of the commissioners, one or two of the hot-headed ones stated that they would have prevented any further land locations themselves.

Visits will be paid to the several native villages along the Skeena for the next few days, and then the commissioners will return and submit their report to the government. Nothing will be known till then as to what action the government will take in connection with the trouble.

STANDS FIRM FOR TAX PLAN

President Taft Insists on Getting Revenue From Corporations

CONGRESS LEADERS CANNOT BUDGE HIM

Conference on Subject at White House Was of Their Seeking

Washington, July 15.—Slight, but unmistakable evidence of the friction between the president and the conferees on the tariff bill have begun to disturb the pleasant relations between the White House and the Capitol. They have become apparent by many calls that have been made on the chief executive, and as a result of the frequent interchange of views, a last effort has been made by the conferees to induce the president to consent to the striking out of the corporation tax, amendment, without success. The president not only told Senator Aldrich and Chairman Payne that he would not withdraw from his position in favor of this tax, but that he was assured of sufficient votes to ensure its adoption in both houses.

Pains were taken at the White House today to make it clear that President Taft did not send for Messrs. Aldrich and Payne on the occasion of last night's conference, despite the intimation given out in legislative circles that these two leaders had been summoned by Mr. Taft upon word reaching his ears that the corporation tax was about to be dashed to pieces on the rocks. The conference, it was said, had been sought by the legislative leaders, who reported to their colleagues that Mr. Taft stood solidly for the tax and would not retreat. Mr. Taft appears to realize that there are many senators and representatives who will vote for the tax without being in favor of it.

Talk has been revived of a possible veto by President Taft when the bill reaches him.

MOROCCO TROUBLES

Country Prey to Complete Anarchy—Spain Preparing to Protect Her Interests

Tangier, July 15.—The internal situation in Morocco occasions the deepest apprehension. It is believed that European intervention cannot be long delayed. The entire country is the prey of complete anarchy. Whether Reghi is actually master of Fez is not yet known, but Mulai Hafid is manifestly helpless and a prisoner in the capital, and Mulai El Khabir, brother of the Sultan, who has been proclaimed Sultan in Zennur, is advancing at the head of a large force on Mequinez.

Madrid, July 15.—The Spanish government expects to send 3,000 troops into the Rif region, it is officially declared that Spain does not seek war, its sole purpose is to put its possessions in northern Africa in a condition to repel and punish attacks.

There is a strong belief here that Mulai Hafid will fall, and in that event Spain will have ample ships on the African coast, and will be in a position to regain some of the prestige lost to France as a result of the Casa Blanca intervention.

I. C. R. Improvement

Moncton, N. B., July 15.—The new I. C. R. freight car and passenger car repair shop to be built in St. John will be of the most modern and advanced style, according to plans now on file at the chief engineer's office of the I. C. R. here, which indicate that the building will in every way meet the requirements necessary. The old freight and passenger repair shop is in a tumble-down condition. The new building will be 125 feet long and 45 feet wide. It will be a wooden frame of one story. There will be a wheel pit where the wheels can be conveniently taken off and replaced on the cars.

BUFFALOS ARE ROUNDED UP

Entire San Pablo Herd Now Located in Canadian National Park

Canada is now in actual possession of the famous San Pablo buffalo herd, the last contingent, numbering some 300 head, having been rounded up on the Montana hills after many months, and driven into the Canadian national park. The drive across the international boundary line, according to Mr. George Carter, of this city, who has just returned from Calgary, was of a trying description, 14 of the animals dying on the way. Within the confines of the National Park are now located the last remnant of the buffalo which once roamed in thousands over the prairie lands of this continent.

Sir Donald, the father of the San Pablo herd, and one of the animals to arrive in the first contingent from Montana, died a few weeks ago at Banff. His head is being stuffed, and it will be sent to the government museum at Ottawa.

Mr. Carter, while in Calgary, attended the fair, at which there were large crowds. Calgary is at present experiencing a boom, and illustrating the fact that it is becoming a great wholesale distributing centre. Mr. Carter said that in one day while he was there 48 cars of way freight went out of the city, besides the usual car load freight.

An electric railway, municipally owned, which at present runs over two miles, has just been opened, and extensions are being constructed in different directions. The cars used are up to date in every particular.

Immense Movement Hither.

All the trains coming westwards are crowded to their capacity, according to Mr. Carter, who said that in the train he travelled home last night passengers in the first class compartments were compelled to find seating accommodation on their grips. The hotels at Banff, Glacier, and other mountain points, are thronged, and there is an immense passenger movement to the coast.

In the interior of the province, Mr. Carter says the greatest excitement still prevails over the hunt after the Ashcroft bandits. The district is trooped with mounted police. The bloodhounds, for some reason, have been unable to take the trail, and the inhabitants are persuaded that the robbers, and murderer, have got clean away.

Mr. Carter's trip was of a business character.

BURIED IN RUINS

Collapse of Philadelphia Building Kills Seven People and Injures Many

Philadelphia, July 15.—In one of the busiest sections of the city and at a time when thousands of people were passing, the five-story brick building on Market street, which was being reconstructed for the United Gas Improvement company, collapsed shortly after 10 o'clock this morning, burying or pinning underneath the ruins 32 persons, seven of whom are dead, one missing, one fatally injured and 20 are more or less seriously injured. The building fronted on Market street. The two lower floors had been torn out and three upper floors shored up by heavy timbers. It is supposed that by moving one of the girders the entire structure was loosened.

The crash came without warning and narrow escapes were many. By-standers and passersby fled, but later flooded to the ruins and made thrilling rescues. It was a sweltering day, and several of the rescuers were overcome by the heat and dust from the debris.

The walls, which were left standing, looked unsafe, but the police and people surged forward heedless of the danger.

Death of Rev. George Tyrrell

London, July 15.—Rev. George Tyrrell, for many years a member of the Society of Jesus, from which he separated on account of his sympathies for Modernism, died today.

Coal Strike Called Off

Pittsburg, July 15.—Members of the district executive board of the United Mine Workers this evening called off the strike of the 18,000 miners of the Pittsburg Coal company. The men will resume work tomorrow morning.

FINE SHOOTING BY CANADIANS

Team Makes Record Score in Mackinnon Cup Match at Bisley

Montreal, July 15.—The Canadian team made a great beginning at the Bisley meeting today by capturing the Mackinnon trophy and incidentally giving one of the greatest exhibitions of rifle shooting on record. This is the eighth time that the cup has been shot for under present conditions, and the high score up to the present has been made in 1907 by England, 1513. Today Canada won by 1609. Transvaal finished in second place, 95 points behind. The scores were:

Country	800	900	1000	Total
Canada.....	547	549	519	1609
Transvaal.....	536	530	448	1514
England.....	531	512	449	1492
Scotland.....	512	444	414	1370
Natal.....	506	507	478	1491
Ireland.....	517	492	439	1448
Guernsey.....	505	501	440	1446
S. Rhodesia.....	516	476	428	1420
India.....	469	474	296	1239

The individual scores of the Canadians were as follows:

Sgt. Russell, G. G. F. G., Ottawa, 48, 43, 49, 141.	
Lt. Smith, 24th Chatham, Ont., 45, 49, 45—139.	
Sgt. Mitchell, 13th Hamilton, 47, 45, 46—138.	
Col. Sgt. Freeborn, 13th Hamilton, 49, 46, 43—138.	
Sgt. Kelly, 18th Toronto, 47, 46, 43—137.	
Sgt. Smith, G. G. F. G., Ottawa, 45, 46, 45—135.	
Maj. Jones-Powell, P. E. I., 44, 48, 42—134.	
Lt. Morris, 46th Bowmanville, Ont., 46, 47, 41—134.	
Capt. Forrest, 6th Vancouver, 47, 45, 41—133.	
Corp. McInnes, 18th Edmonton, 44, 48, 37—129.	
Sgt. Maj. Huggins, 13th Hamilton, 37, 45, 47—127.	
Capt. McVittie, 48th Toronto, 42, 42, 41—125.	

Young Prince de Sagan

Paris, July 15.—A son was born today to the Princess de Sagan, who was Miss Anna Gould, of New York. The birth occurred at the Princess' Chateau Marais, at Cheron.

Glidden Tourists

Lacrosse, Wis., July 15.—After the hardest day's ride of the course thus far, over roads filled with rocks and heavy with sand, the Glidden tourists arrived in Lacrosse in good condition this afternoon.

Still Hato Drayfus

Nismes, France, July 15.—The monument erected here to Bernard Lazier, the defender of Alfred Drayfus, was demolished last night. The bust of M. Lazier was broken to pieces with a hammer.

CANNON ROAR AT TEHERAN

Cossacks and Nationalists Fight in Streets of Persian Capital

ENEMIES OF SHAH IN ASCENDANT

British Legation in Dangerous Place on Scene of Combat

Teheran, July 15.—Despite the efforts of Gen. Liakhov, the military governor, to negotiate with the Nationalist leaders, and the agreement of both sides to cease hostilities, street fighting continued today between the Persian Cossacks and the Nationalists. The insurgents attack in the ascending, and reinforcements are continually reaching them. They appear certain to win.

The Shah remains obdurate, and will probably hold out until the Nationalist guns are trained on his palace.

The fighting today centered around the British legation. A number of loyal Bakhtiari gained an entrance to the city, and took up a position on tops of houses in the vicinity of the legation and near the Nationalist camp, which they bombarded with a heavy rifle fire. The Nationalists responded, and for several hours the British telegraph and other foreign houses, in which were a number of women, were under fire. During a lull, the women were removed to the British legation.

The battle last night between the Cossacks besieged in Artillery Square and the Nationalists who attempted to dislodge them was exceedingly fierce. The Cossacks opened a terrible cannonade, the Nationalists replying with their own guns, and many rifles. Non-combatants were compelled to seek shelter in cellars, as shells were bursting everywhere. The Cossacks succeeded in holding their position, and on the withdrawal of the attacking party opened fire with their artillery on the parliament building. Under cover of this they made an attack on the Nationalists' headquarters, but were repulsed by a small force of Bakhtiari.

There is no way of estimating the casualties, but so far as known no foreigners were killed. There were many narrow escapes, however, one shell bursting in the library of the Imperial bank and another in the gardens of the British legation.

Fighting around the Cossacks' barracks ceased this afternoon, and negotiations for their surrender are now being carried on with Gen. Liakhoff.

The Shah's troops are disconcerted on account of insufficient food and small pay.

Shah in Legation

The Shah has just taken refuge in the Russian legation. A reputation from the British and Russian legations is now on its way to inform the Nationalist leaders of the fact.

MANY DEAD

Southern Greece Suffers From Severe Earth Shocks—Heavy List of Casualties

Athens, Greece, July 15.—An earthquake has occurred in the province of Achaea and Elis, the capital of which is Pyrgos. Several villages were destroyed, and many people perished. The material loss is heavy.

London, July 16.—A despatch from Athens says that a violent earthquake has occurred in Southern Greece. Twenty persons are dead and a hundred injured in one village, and in other villages suffered heavily. When the details are learned it is believed that the list of casualties will be greatly increased.

To Be Created Cardinal

Rome, July 15.—The Tribune says that Archbishop Farley, of New York, will be created a cardinal at the consistory to be held in November.

DISCUSSION OF EMPIRE DEFENCE

Canadians at Coming Conference—Australian Naval Policy

London, July 15.—Interviewed here today, Sir Frederick Borden, minister of militia for Canada, who is one of the delegates to the imperial defense conference, said the instructions to the Canadian delegates were based on the resolution passed by the Dominion House of Commons at its last session. It seemed to him that the discussions at the conference would present little difficulty, and that there can be no question as to the practical outcome of the conference on the lines of the Canada resolution.

Melbourne, July 15.—Mr. Cook, minister of defence, states that he is thoroughly in favor of a local squadron provided it becomes Australia's section of the Imperial navy. The offer of \$10,000,000 is unconditional, but should home parties prefer to employ the money in building swift cruisers for the protection of Australian trade, so much the better.



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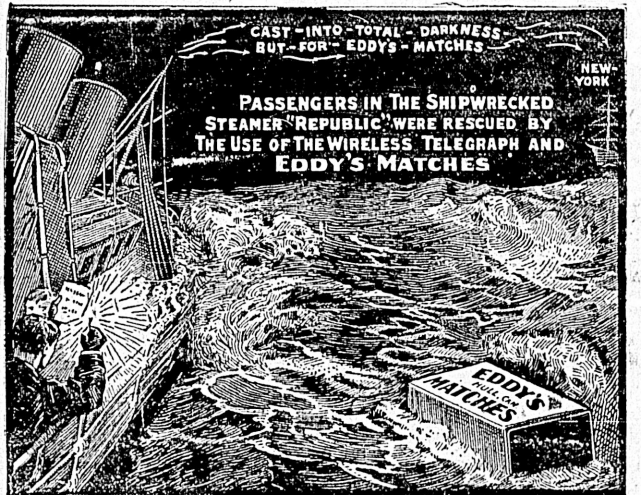
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HOUSEHOLDERS ARE COMPLAINING

Many Kicks at Present Lack of System in Collection of Garbage

Just when the city council will take up the question of a better system of garbage collection is a question which a great number of householders in as many sections of the city have been asking themselves of late.

Residential streets strewn with refuse which should have been taken to the garbage wharf, but which, instead, was dumped on the roadside because the wily celestial scavengers, in whose hands the greater part of the work of garbage collection is centered, chose to pocket the 15 cents fee collected by them to the profit of the contractor at the wharf, testify to the efficiency of the present system of garbage collection.

With the past few days about ten loads of tin cans, rags, ashes and other refuse have been deposited on Dalston street, while in other sections the same thing has been done.

In practically every other city of the Dominion the system of garbage collection is done by the municipality, the cost being met out of a general tax levied for the purpose. Here, on the contrary, it is delivered at the wharf a contract having been entered into with Capt. Gardiner to whom the fee of 15 cents per load, formerly collected by the city, is now being paid, but the collection of garbage is left to the scavengers, who, or at least a number of whom, never get as far as the wharf with their loads, but instead, watch their opportunity and dump the refuse in any convenient spot and appropriate the fee which should be paid at the wharf.

It is said that a bylaw to provide a better system of garbage collection is in course of preparation, but just when the measure will be considered is a question which many householders are anxious to have answered.

The difficulty in getting scavengers, too, is causing much complaint. Garbage is often uncalled for for many days and it is often only after considerable trouble and delay can a scavenger be induced to come and remove it.

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fession. When a country was doing this it was on the way to national suicide. It was worth-while being young in a young nation.

He did not find any difference between culture and avocational training. The plowing, harrowing, sewing, and rearing was all for wheat crops. That was culture.

In Canada there were one million and a quarter children trooping to the school houses and the colleges learning to think clearly in order to make this a Dominion of labor and love. He quoted instances of manual training throughout Canada, and deduced from these that it was worth a lot to allow a boy the habit of being happy—abundantly, joyously happy—while at school. The school garden was the proper training ground for citizenship.

Household Science.

The fault in Canada was not the want of money, but the want of sense. The most insane thing the people ever did was to bring up children without the knowledge of household science. Household science was old as humanity. The Macdonald College stood for agricultural education. In other words, the health, happiness, and betterment of social conditions. The improvement of rural conditions stood for a better life.

The people of Canada should understand that taxation for schools was the measure of their nationhood, and not alone that, but the measure of their Christianity. If they would have a land that was worth while, they should see that the country school was a good place for children. By the labor and love of men and women they could build up a magnificent type of nationhood.

An interesting paper by Dr. J. M. Greenwood, superintendent of schools in Kansas City, on "School Organization, Administration, and Instruction," followed. The speaker pointed out that twelve and a half per cent. of the teaching body of the world were at work on the North American continent.

Teachers, he said, must have a critical knowledge of the matters to be taught. In controlling the pupils, the eyes should be used more than the voice. An "inventory" law which laid a place in the affection of the scholars was worth more than any code, even if it were the Code Napoleon.

Children he divided into three classes—good, well-meaning, and bad. A bad boy, he said, might be reached if the teacher could put him or herself into the boy's place.

He laid particular stress on the magnetic quality necessary in teachers. This should be a quality which always attracted and never repelled.

His lecture, which was technical to a degree, was of a comprehensive and exhaustive character.

The total enrollment of members to the Dominion Educational Association during its three days' sessions in this city amounted to 512.

The meeting of the educationists at the Assembly Hall came to a conclusion with the massed gathering singing "God Save the King."

It was just as important that people should support the schools as that children should go to them. There was no other nation in the world so wealthy as Canada that spent less on its schools. In Canada they had money to spend on everything—on magnificent houses, on automobiles, on pleasure—what was their most precious possession. It was the children. For these they should have splendid buildings where they could mould them in their plastic days. Canadians in the rawness of their young uncouth days forgot the children—the things which were really worth while.

He would like to see the Dominion Educational Association a clearing house, a place where easterners would come to know westerners, and vice versa.

Problems of Life

The problems of youth, life and death, in Canada were complicated. The country was full of competitions, but in his opinion they need not mean hostilities. The competitions should be carried on in all good will, with their ultimate aim, the good of Canada.

If the school teachers did their work well, it would mean that the

city and rural schools were partners in the development of Canada. They should make the schools better, have finer standards, and more labor and love in their lives. All these things were worth while.

Thousands of foreigners were immigrating to the Dominion, said Prof. Robertson. Why? Because they knew it was a land of liberty. That was the people were flocking from the United States. (Laughter.) In Canada the meaning of the word "boss" was unknown. This was a land of respected law. No land could have liberty where the law was disrespected. It was a land of opportunity for property and children. New comers said that it was a fine country for boys and girls. Well, they should see that they had good schools.

Farmers were not merely breaking up clods of earth. They were gathering sunshine. When one saw a man callous and hardened with toil driving a plough, he was not an automaton. He was breaking up the land for homes.

Tribute to Province

In British Columbia there was superb scenery, mountains budding with mineral riches, climate unsurpassed. The province could not produce a race of prophets and poets, where in Canada could they be produced. It was worth while being young and being in Canada.

Rural education meant getting the people to live for ideals. The people of British Columbia were not the people of yesterday nor the people of the past. They were the people of the future. In their primeval instincts they were people with 20,000 years of breeding, who had now attained to the possession of ability and good will. All this had been done by education.

The speaker went on to refer to the improvement of rural conditions. In the past had been accomplished by education. The leaders had been trained into sympathetic leadership. The people were educated as well as the children.

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

Yesterday afternoon a departmental session of the Elementary Education Department was held in the Assembly hall, with J. B. Wallis, principal of the Macbray school, Winnipeg in the chair. The proceedings included a number of addresses by representatives of the various provinces on "What is aimed at as an elementary education in our common public schools."

The first speaker was Dr. A. H. McKay, superintendent of education at Halifax. Speaking for Nova Scotia he said that in that province there were three divisions in the educational programme. First, there were eight years in the common schools; then four years in the high schools; and finally four years in the universities. The division with which he had to deal was the elementary. This was the foundation for all other work was laid. In the elementary department, besides other things, particular stress was laid on spelling, and as the pupil moved from grade to grade care was exercised that he or she should be able to spell every word in the readers which the world was going through. In Nova Scotia pupils were advised not to use the simplified spelling, unless they were known to be scholars, as otherwise, under present conditions they would be looked upon as ignorant. In this respect he referred to the simplified spelling congress to be held in New York, in which leading educationists from Great Britain and this continent would take part.

School Libraries

Continuing, he pointed out, in Nova Scotia the authorities considered that pupils must know how and what to read. There had school libraries, and a card system such as prevailed in the state of New York.

In the subject of composition he said extreme care was taken, and he expressed the wish that the two years spent in teaching spelling could be employed on this art well. In arithmetic the very greatest care was taken in the initial stages. If pupils were allowed to make slips year after year it meant that they were being educated in making slips. The whole question of arithmetic resolved itself into being careful and accurate.

In physical training the Dominion government had come to the realization of the province. They were now following the lines adopted in Great Britain during the past six years. This had been taken up in the old country after a study of the best systems in practice in Europe. It was compulsory on all the teachers to be trained in this system, the training being carried out by the militia department. The physical education were very pleased with the system, which had proved satisfactory in every respect. The same language of movement was employed as was in vogue in the British army. This language of movement he thought should prevail through the physical training of the Empire.

Manual Classes

For Ontario R. H. Cowley, inspector of continuation classes at Toronto, said that there was a growing feeling in the province that manual training should cultivate manual skill. Every day the schools were coming more into contact with the soil.

Literature, he said, was associated with reading in all the classes. Writing, spelling and arithmetic formed part of the daily course. In spelling the watchword was conformation, and not reformation. The branches of domestic science, manual training, and school gardening were liberally subsidized, while training in agriculture was also undergone. A strong effort was being made to retain the pupils longer in the rural schools. This was leading to the disappearance of the line of demarcation between the elementary and the secondary schools.

In conclusion he said the aims of elementary education in his province were a desire to develop character, to give the children control of environment, and to stimulate social life.

Bound by Traditions

In Manitoba, said S. E. Lang, of the Normal school, Winnipeg, who spoke for that province, they had not yet succeeded in drawing up a bill of fare sufficiently attractive, to induce boys to go to school after the age of adolescence. There they were, being social and economic progress, determining the direction of education. Reforms in education he considered were due to influences outside those of the school teacher, and in this respect he said that probably school teachers were the most conservative and tradition bound members of society, with the exception perhaps of the clergy.

In his opinion public education must reflect the national life. In Manitoba they must have an eye to

agricultural and business interests. Attempts were even now being made to suit the youth for his future social environment.

Druggery should be banished. In his province they believed that there were two activities, namely, work and play. They did not believe in the doctrine that the yoke should be borne in youth. They were trying hard to dispel the spirit of druggery.

Further he did not believe that knowledge ought to be pursued for its own sake. It was only useful in so far as it enabled people to guide their lives better. Efficiency should be the watchword in education, up to the present had in a large measure, only succeeded in putting adroitness into the Claude Duval type. It had left the cultured grafter.

Social service should be the ideal of education. In the youth the social consciousness should be awakened. Elementary education in Manitoba, said the speaker in conclusion, included an everlasting list of subjects growing out of the needs of the province.

In New Provinces.

D. P. McCall, deputy minister of education in Saskatchewan, spoke on behalf of that province. The system of elementary education there was a continuation of the system which prevailed in the Northwest territories. That system met the needs of the ratepayers in the country. The problem with which they had to contend was the complexity of the population, which was many tongued. Different peoples came shackled with their own ideas on educational affairs. The for instance desired that their children should be trained up to speak English. In this respect the teachers and inspectors spoke highly of the interest in educational matters taken by the foreigners, and the progress made by the children.

Another phase which they had to consider was the fact that owing to the rigorous weather it was necessary to have some of the schools closed for three or four months every year. They were called short term schools, and owing to this condition of affairs prevailing a special course was necessary.

Then parents could not afford to keep their children at school for long. Many of them left at the age of 13 years. The aims of elementary education, owing to all these conditions, must therefore be of a practical kind, but in spite of this, the cultured side was not neglected. Both in the normal, the public and the high schools, great force was laid on music, literature and drawing.

"The great aim," said the speaker in winding up, "was to give the boys and girls a good start in the common knowledge of subjects, so as to give them a taste for further study when they left the elementary schools."

Fine Buildings.

In Alberta the conditions were similar to those prevailing in Saskatchewan, said Dr. Melville Scott, superintendent of city schools at Calgary, who spoke for the former province. What was aimed at there was to give the boys and girls the best opportunities for acquiring a sound educational knowledge. The soundness of the system was seen in the magnificent school buildings, the high salaries paid to teachers, second only he believed to those paid in British Columbia. They desired to send the boys and girls to the outside world with a knowledge of their responsibilities, and the instincts which would make them good Canadians. An attempt was also made in the elementary school to give the pupils some idea of what higher education meant. In order to spread the culture side of education in Alberta authorities encouraged the reading of good books. The government gave a library grant, and stipulated that a certain amount must be expended each year in the purchase of new books.

There were special departments for teaching hygiene and temperance. In this connection he suggested that hygiene should be taught without physiology. He would like to see lessons taught on the care of the finger tips, hair, teeth, ears, etc., as pupils should know how to take care of their own bodies. More would always be taught by example than by precept.

In conclusion he suggested that an attempt should be made to correlate the life of the pupil in the school to the life of the pupil outside.

British Columbia.

The presentation of the views of each province was wound up by A. C. Stewart, inspector of schools in British Columbia. He had the honor he said to represent the new land "of brown heath and shaggy wood, land of the mountain and the flood." In the elementary schools in British Columbia they differed from the other provinces in having three grades, namely, the junior, the intermediate and the senior. The reason for these divisions was that the tendency in the large cities was to have individual classes.

There were three classes of schools in B. C. First, the rural, which were truly rural; then the municipal, which were in rural municipalities; and lastly the city schools. In his capacity he was a truly rural inspector. This was a province of great distances, and the elements were very considered. He here illustrated in brief fashion what the government was doing to educate the rural districts. In any locality where there were ten pupils, and where an average daily attendance of eight could be guaranteed, the government paid the salary of a teacher. If there were a reasonable prospect of 20 pupils within a year the government would build an up-to-date schoolhouse. Along educational lines the government of British Columbia was displaying a most generous spirit.

In each municipality there was one school board, the rate for which was levied over the entire municipality. The policy of the government had resulted not only in an increase of salaries, but also in raising the dignity of the profession of teachers. In British Columbia the teacher today was on a different standing to what he or she was three years ago.

In answer to a question Mr. Stewart said that the education act of British Columbia was the most beautiful classic of any act which he knew, but its elasticity was all in the interests of the people and the pupils.

The proceedings came to an end with the election of officers for the Elementary Education Department which resulted as follows: President, Isaac Gammell, high school, Montreal; Secretary, J. B. Wallis, principal of the Macbray school, Winnipeg.

HIGHER EDUCATION

T. A. Brough, of Vancouver, presided at the higher education section yesterday afternoon. The first business before the meeting was the election of officers for the section at the next meeting of the Dominion Educational Association. The results were as follows: President, W. S. Milner, University College, Toronto; vice-president, Samuel Robertson, McGill College, Vancouver; secretary, Nor-

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TO CONTRACTORS

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AGREEMENT GOES BACK TO COMPANY

Still Some Points to Be Settled in Proposed Arrangement B. C. E. Co.

The city council has decided that it will go no further in meeting the wishes of the B. C. Electric company relative to the proposed agreement which the company desires before the latter will undertake to go ahead with the Jordan river development scheme, to spend not less than \$1,500,000 on the construction of a plant capable of developing 10,000 horse power besides spending a large amount for extensions of its system, the furnishing of power to the city for to electric lighting and power purposes at one-half what it costs the city at present to generate power, the fixing of commercial lighting power rates at a figure as low as at present in vogue in Vancouver and the taking from the city, should the latter develop power at some subsequent time at Sooke lake or vicinity, of at least 1,000 continuous horse power per 24 hours.

The agreement has been arrived at satisfactory to both parties except as regards two points in the first agreement, which the city, through the company, after City Barrister Taylor had revised it, the city agreed not to enter into competition or "on the credit of the corporation," to aid any other competitive concern. The company took exception to the word "credit" on the ground that while the city might not assist on its credit, another company, it might grant a franchise to another concern or in some manner, other than by the actual advancing of funds, raised on the corporation's credit, give assistance to a competing company.

Objections. These objections were referred to by City Barrister Taylor at the special meeting of the council held last evening when the agreement as drafted by the company came up for consideration. The company had given the council until Tuesday next to decide whether the agreement should be adopted, stating that it felt that it had gone as far as it could possibly be expected to do, particularly after it had agreed to several amendments suggested by the city.

The city barrister stated that he had a meeting with A. T. Goward, local manager of the B. C. Electric Company, and the sticking point has been that relating to the city's right to give assistance to another concern. Alderman Stewart was emphatic in his declaration that while the council would be quite ready to agree not to enter into competition with the company and not to grant financial aid, raised on the credit of the corporation, yet the city should not be prohibited from allowing another company to come into the city. Evidently the company's intention is to tie the city up so that no other company can come in during the existence of the agreement. The company did not ask that much from Vancouver, said Alderman Stewart, and he saw why Victoria should grant more than the other city.

Mr. Taylor asked if another company wished to come into the city and the city gave it a bonus, free water or some other assistance, other than by raising money, would not that be using the city's credit?

Mayor Hall stated that representatives of the company, notably Mr. Bunsen, had definitely stated that the company did not fear the entrance of another company in the field. Such a new comer the company could be quite willing to meet but what was wanted was that the city should not enter into competition with the company in the commercial lighting and power business before the city first offered to buy the company's holdings at a figure to be determined.

Meet Company Again. Alderman Henderson wanted to know if the city acquired the Esquimalt Waterworks company's undertaking could it develop and sell power notwithstanding the agreement with the B. C. Electric company, but Mr. Taylor pointed out that under the charter of the waterworks company that concern cannot sell power though it sell the water to be used for that or any other purpose if it desired. That point had been settled by the courts.

Finally it was decided that Mr. Taylor should again meet the company's representatives and endeavor to come to some arrangement which would prove mutually satisfactory. On the question of the company's agreement to take not less than 1,000 continuous horsepower, per twenty-four hours, at a price to be arbitrated upon, should the city at any future time be in a position to develop that amount, or more, of power at Sooke Lake, the company had amended the city's draft by making it read, in units of less than 1,000 horsepower. This amendment, Mr. Taylor stated, would appear to mean that if, by any chance, the city developed, say, 1,550 horsepower, the company would only be forced to take 1,000 horsepower and the remaining 550 horsepower would not be a unit of 1,000 horsepower. That would mean that the city would have 550 horsepower on its hands which it could not dispose of.

No Cause for Worry. Alderman Mable believed that the city need not worry about that point, as, if in the future it went to Sooke Lake, it would not be able to develop more than 1,000 horsepower and Alderman Stewart stated that even if the city secured Goldstream it could not produce more than 1,100 horsepower, but Mr. Taylor pointed out that the agreement did not refer to Goldstream.

The feeling of the council was, however, that on the point of the purchase by the company of whatever power the city might have to sell there was no occasion to differ and the company's amendment in that respect was accepted. The only point, therefore, to be agreed upon in the relation to the city's right to allow another company to enter into competition with the B. C. Electric company.

An endeavor will be made to come to a satisfactory arrangement with the company today so that the agreement can be finally passed upon at Monday night's council meeting and the necessary bylaw to be submitted to the ratepayers passed. The bylaw, if an amicable arrangement is reached, will be submitted on the same date as the bylaw to authorize the raising of \$1,350,000 for the expropriation of the Esquimalt Waterworks company's holdings.

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NO CRUSHER YET AWHILE

Portland Firm Which Got City Order Cannot Line Up to Agent's Promises

After expecting the early delivery of a rock crusher, the order for which was given last Friday by the city to a representative of Beale & Company, Portland, Ore., the city finds that the machine will not be delivered in the quick time promised. The crusher, which was to have cost \$2,640, exclusive of duty, was to have been loaded on the boat at Portland within four days, was to be brought here, set up and demonstrated to be in perfect working order before the city paid one cent on it, and nothing was to be paid for the setting up.

Yesterday the city received a communication from Beale & Company expressing thanks for the order, and saying that the company had wired the factory in the east for the machine, and also that if desired an expert would be sent to set up the engine, the city to pay him \$5 a day and expenses.

As speedy delivery was what led the city to give the order, the fact that the factory has been instructed to ship means, so the aldermen believe, that the machine has still to be manufactured, and furthermore as the representations made by the agent are evidently not to be accepted by the company the order has been cancelled. Now another crusher must be ordered.

CONVENTION IS CONCLUDED

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man W. De Witt, Victoria College, Toronto.

The chairman then, with a few introductory remarks, in the course of which he asked for a full discussion of the subject of the next paper introduced Norman W. De Witt, professor of Latin, Victoria College, Toronto, who read, in an easy and pleasant manner, a very interesting and entertaining paper on the "Teaching of Latin." The paper dealt principally with the teaching of the subject in the schools of the United States, and prefaced his paper by saying that, in the nature of things Canadians would, as the years went on, grow more like the Americans, and that it would be wise to understand their methods of conducting the business of teaching.

The study of the classics had been brought over to the United States by the Puritans. It was then a slow process, a whole year being spent at the grammar, but there was plenty of time in those days. The result was that among the scholars of colonial times there was much good writing and good speaking. Down to the time of the civil war every educated man knew Latin. Lincoln was not a Latin scholar, and the Gettysburg oration of Edward Everett was compared with that of the self-made president.

From that time the history of the teaching of Latin was traced, and much interesting information was given.

Woman's Cause. The employment of women as teachers of Latin was partly responsible for a great change. It became necessary for them to make teaching attractive, it being their nature to persuade and entertain rather than to compel. Grammar became obsolete and readiness and speed in translation were aimed at. Women did not make the best Latin teachers, but the speaker paid a high tribute to their influence both in schools and in places of business.

Large classes and the frequent changes of professors had also an influence on teaching. There were very few old teachers in the universities of the United States. David Stewart, London, was given as an instance of an eminent man who had occupied positions in many universities. For eleven or twelve years he had changed every year. Only by frequent changes was rapid promotion to be gained. The effect of this upon the professors was not good. There was a desire for publicity, which was not seen among Canadian professors, who looked for promotion in their own colleges. The latter were perhaps too modest, and the speaker had heard as fine lectures given in the class rooms of a Canadian university as many that were delivered from the public platforms of the United States.

The Carnegie pensions had reformulated the faculty of some of the colleges removing from them professors who had outlived their usefulness, but sometimes good men were retired, who left their work brokenhearted.

The best and most modern text books in Latin were used in the colleges, and immense sums were spent upon libraries, and money was in most universities given to the professors to enable them to purchase books. The attitude of the students in the American schools was contrasted with that of Canadians. They were far more responsible and alert. They would not study at home, but worked hard in the class room. This was one of the influences that led to the abolition of written exercises and the adoption of the method of oral recitation. Acuteness, not fulness, was the result of this method. There was, however, among these students a uniformity in pronunciation and a readiness and correctness in translation that might well be emulated in our colleges.

Classics still held their own in many of the United States colleges. This was partly owing to the refusal of their alumni to allow them to be displaced. Among classical teachers there were many unions and associations which kept up their interest in their work.

The speaker said that there was not among American scholars anything corresponding to the Latin essays of English scholars, and he intimated that there was a soundness of learning shown in these which was absent from the most brilliant efforts of United States men.

The Discussion. In asking for a discussion the chairman said that it was feared that Latin would be driven from the colleges of the west. What could be done to prevent it?

Lemuel Robertson, of Vancouver, said that there was no sign among western students that the classics were unpopular. He instanced the number who had in his own college chosen Latin for third year work, and had asked for Greek.

In answer to a question from Dr. Milner, Mr. De Witt said that every day the translation of the previous day was read rapidly in class. In the course of the discussion Dr. Milner pointed out to the speaker that the high school students in United States high schools translated Latin. And

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questioned whether the old painstaking ways which he, as a student, used in England ought to be adopted here. Several other college and high school masters took part in the interesting and animated discussion.

OTHER SECTIONS

At the Pemberton Gymnasium High school yesterday afternoon the inspection and training department held a department session. Two papers were contributed, one on "The making of a principal of schools for the small town," read by B. J. Hales, of Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, and the other on "The proper conduct and value of the Teachers' Institute," by A. G. MacDonald, inspector of schools at Antigonish, N. S.

The Industrial Education department session was held at the Manual Training Centre, High school, when a practical demonstration of manual training was given by the boys.

Washington, D.C., July 14.—In the conference on the tariff bill today representatives of the house agreed to accept the Senate custom's court provision.

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THE NORTHERN INDIANS

In the language of the street, the Northern Indians are claiming everything in sight. There is nothing new in this, for it has been understood for a long time by those familiar with the subject that the Indians north of the Skeena do not recognize themselves as under any obligations to white men. They are willing to accept everything that is given to them, but they have hitherto not been willing to concede anything without mentioning. At the same time they admit that the rule of the white man has been of advantage to them. They realize that in the olden days their lives were made up of constant strife with neighboring tribes, and that they could not with safety go abroad. But this continual fighting is the basis of their territorial claim. Said a gentleman, who knows them well and converses with them in their own language: "They have said to me: Why should we give up our land to the white people? We have lived in this valley for generations. My father was killed here in a fight to drive our enemies away; my grandfather was killed farther up the river in a fight for the same purpose. What reason is there for us to give up our land to the first white man that comes along?" This claim is not made simply to the area within a reservation, but to the whole country, each tribe claiming its own area. The Indian title, whatever it may be worth, is founded upon force, that is upon ability to drive off all trespassers; and no one need be surprised, if they are not ready to concede that this title may be extinguished at the will of the first white man, who comes along, without any compensation being given them. We are stating the case as strongly as we can from the Indians' point of view, because we do not desire to belittle the importance of the question with which the Indian Department is called upon to deal. It is not an easy question by any means. But it must be disposed of, and at the very earliest possible day.

HARD-WORKING MINISTERS

Sometimes during election campaigns, Opposition orators—it does not make any difference of what political party—are given to talking about high-salaried ministers, who loiter in luxurious office chairs, while their subordinates do all the work. As a matter of fact the members of Canadian ministries, federal and provincial, are generally very hardworking men. Of course there are exceptions; it would be a strange rule to which there were no exceptions; but as a general thing they work harder than any of their subordinates, and very much harder than the average run of business or professional men.

Mr. Taylor, Minister of Public Works, has returned to town after a journey through the country, during which he has seen and inspected more roads, trails, bridges and public works and buildings than he could very well tell off-hand. There is not the least doubt that Mr. Taylor is "making good" as a minister. He is an administrator from Missouri. He wants to know, and he has not waited for people to come and tell him things, but has gone out to see for himself. This is the business-like way, and, as we have said on previous occasions, the administration of the affairs of British Columbia is chiefly a business proposition.

The gathering of teachers and others interested in education, which is now being held in this city, is evidence of the deep and intelligent interest, which Dr. Young, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Education, takes in the subjects, with the management of which he is charged. The public observe such things as the meeting of the Dominion Educational Association here without taking into account the effort necessary to bring them about. Dr. Young's interest in education is not merely a perfunctory one due to the fact that he is minister at the head of that branch of the public service, but is inspired by zeal for the cause itself. None of his predecessors has entered into the spirit of the work to a greater degree than he, and none of them has had its welfare more at heart.

Such services as Mr. Taylor and Dr. Young are rendering the public are not the outcome of a desire to stand well with the country politically, and they are certainly not accomplished without much hard work. They are inspired by a practical patriotism, which we feel we may say inspires all our public men, even though sometimes we find ourselves unable to agree with the policies which they pursue.

A RECOGNITION.

The ladies of the International Council of Women who were in Victoria this week, expressed their hearty appreciation of the hospitality extended to them at Government House by Mrs. Dunsmuir. To be received after their long transcontinental journey in such a manner was a surprise and a delight, and many of them made mention of the kindly, womanly and altogether sympathetic manner in which their hostess met and entertained them. The occasion, while sufficiently formal to indicate that it was quasi-official, was so thoroughly informal in spirit as to leave an exceedingly pleasant impression upon guests, who represented many different nationalities and who were thus enabled to conclude their Canadian journey amid surroundings calculated to stimulate and strengthen the sentiment which is the motto of this organization. Never were the hospitalities of Government House extended in a more worthy direction, and never were they discharged with greater grace and cordiality. We feel, these few words of recognition are due to a lady, who in her unobtrusive and generous way, has done so much to endear herself to the people of this city.

It seems to be understood, although we have no late information on the point, that Mr. Dunsmuir desires to be relieved of his official duties. He has never had any great desire for public life. Those who know the facts will bear us out in saying that he accepted the premiership of the province very much against his own desire. When we say that in taking the position he was influenced wholly by representations that the financial conditions of the province were such that nothing short of the acceptance of office by its most prominent and wealthiest business man could bring about that steadiness of public opinion necessary to enable a fresh start to be made, we speak with a full knowledge of the facts. In the discharge of the duties of the premiership he was influenced solely by a desire to promote the public welfare, and as Lieutenant-Governor he has endeavored to exercise the authority of his position in accordance with the principles of responsible government. On the whole when Mr. Dunsmuir vacates his office, which we hope will not be as soon as there seemed to be reason to anticipate, and retires to private life, he will leave behind him an excellent record of duty conscientiously and fearlessly performed.

GERMAN POLICY.

It is said that with the retirement of Von Buelow, the Kaiser has become his own Foreign Minister. However much we may agree with Talleyrand that language is given us to enable us to conceal our thoughts, it is nevertheless important to note what people say, and especially those who are in a position to give effect to their opinions and bring about the accomplishment of their wishes. Therefore it is of interest to recall what the Kaiser said of his recent meeting with the Tsar. Addressing the Burgomaster of Hamburg and his colleagues, he said: "The Tsar Nicholas and I agreed there that our meeting is to be regarded as a vigorous reinforcement of the cause of peace." He then spoke of the responsibility resting upon monarchs, and added: "All peoples need peace in order, under its protection, to fulfil undisturbed the duties of civilization for their economic and commercial development." He closed by saying: "We will both, therefore, continually endeavour, as far as lies in our power, to work, with God's help, for the furtherance and maintenance of peace." It is not possible that, in making these weighty utterances, the Kaiser was wantonly deceiving the public. He is entitled to full credit for entertaining the laudable aspirations which he expressed, and to be understood as desiring to govern his policy by them. This is very important in the case of a sovereign who is "his own foreign minister," even though we may feel that he may not be strong enough to control influences which are molding the policies of European nations.

The disturbing factor in the case is the great increase of the German navy, coupled with the determination of Austria to augment materially her maritime power. Very naturally the British people find difficulty in reconciling such things with a desire to promote peace. To the average Briton the royal navy is not only a guarantee of his own safety, but the preserver of the peace of the world, and he finds it difficult to understand why all other nations should not so regard it. He says to himself: We have been supreme on the sea, and have never used our powers for purposes of aggression; why should any other nation think it necessary to rival us in naval strength? He distrusts the assurances of other powers that their intentions are as pacific as those of his own government. He can think of no reason why a continental European power should want a strong fleet, unless it intends to use it to destroy his. It has so long been in naval matters a case of Britain first and the rest nowhere, that anything calculated to disturb this very satisfactory balance of power, strikes him as not only uncalled for but as intended to be hostile to him. This is the substance of the British view of the matter, although this is not the way it is usually stated.

But there is more in the case than this. Perhaps no sane man in the United Kingdom really believes that Germany is building a navy with the intention of invading England; but many of the sanest public men find themselves unable, and we think with good reason, to contemplate the unrestricted

increase of the German navy with equanimity, even though the Kaiser speaks eloquently of maintaining peace. They do not know what a powerful German fleet may mean. There may not be a cloud upon the horizon of world's politics—although we fear that there are several—but the abolition of the naval supremacy of Great Britain would so change the whole aspect of international relations that no one can possibly foresee the result. Therefore, while believing the Kaiser, when he declares for peace, it is the duty of the people of the British Empire to act as though he were preparing for war.

Which is it to be, "educationists," or "educationalists?" Will the Educational Association kindly settle this question?

The most notable thing about the Persian revolution so far is that the religious authorities are on the side of the Constitutionalists.

Respecting a question asked by a contemporary we may say that an Ontario police judge has held that ice-cream is not a food. This may be good law, but it is not fact; for ice-cream is really a very nutritious food.

The report from Vancouver that the Canadian Pacific is about to occupy both sides of the Fraser river so as to exclude the Canadian Northern, and also to extend its line from Midway to the Coast, is very interesting, and if it proves to be accurate may have a very far-reaching effect. We shall not be surprised to learn that it is authenticated.

Complaint is made that some of the Chinamen, who collect garbage, are in the habit of dumping it in convenient places along the streets. The explanation for this is that the city has a contract with some people to carry the garbage out to sea, and the contractors collect 15 cents a load from the scavengers, who in the first instance collected it from the householders. Now it is obvious that if, instead of taking the garbage to the scow, the Chinamen dump it somewhere else, they are in pocket 15 cents a load. The disposal of garbage is something that various city councils have talked about a great deal to very little purpose; and we suggest to the present Aldermanic body that they ought to take it up and provide for garbage collection at the public expense, as is the case in every up-to-date city.

A Japanese, who carries on gardening near this city, has found himself compelled to sell his turnips and onions before they are half matured, because boys enter his premises while he is away, and pull up the growing vegetables. A Victorian, who has a summer home near the city, says that as soon as he leaves it in the fall, depredations are begun and are of such a character that they can only be due to a spirit of malicious mischief. Other instances of the kind might be mentioned. It seems therefore, very timely to direct the attention of parents to the fact that the criminal code provides very severe penalties for malicious mischief, and that they themselves are liable to pay for any damage done by their boys. The police, provincial as well as municipal, ought to be on the alert to arrest these young miscreants responsible for such things.

Politics is creeping into the discussion of Imperial defence so far as the eastern Canadian press is concerned. As yet it is not very conspicuous, but we are sorry to see any sign whatever of an attempt to make political capital out of such a question. We find the Ottawa Journal, which is independent in politics though somewhat Conservative in its leanings, uttering a strong protest against such a course. It protests that our share in Imperial defence should remain "a matter of simple loyalty, self-respect, business, if you will." It asserts, and speaking as far as we may for the people of this part of the Dominion, we say it asserts correctly, that "the people of Canada in substantial majority would declare that what the Motherland says she needs of Canada she will get." We think that when this has been said all has been said that is now necessary. To condemn the Laurier administration in advance of the conclusions of the forthcoming conference would be unfair to the government, and what is of vastly greater importance, unfair to the country.

Dr. Pritchett, who was at the Dominion Educational Assembly yesterday, speaking to some friends of the attractiveness of Victoria, told a story that has not appeared in print. When the Alaska Boundary Commission met in Washington, Lord Herschell presided. His lordship had rather an incisive way of saying things, and managed on one occasion to ruffle the feathers of the American Eagle rather badly. Sir Wilfrid Laurier came to the rescue, and averted the threatened storm by suggesting that, if the United States Commissioners were determined to yield nothing, they might be willing to make an exchange, and he asked what they would be willing to accept for an Alaskan port. The idea of a trade commended itself to them at once, and they began to talk together, whereupon Dr. Pritchett, who was United States geographer to the commission, suggested that they might ask for Vancouver Island. Mr. Fairbanks, afterwards Senator, thereupon said to the Canadian Premier: "We will take Vancouver Island." "Vancouver Island?" replied Sir Wilfrid, "I have no doubt that you would; but it will be a very cold day before we will give you Vancouver Island for anything you could offer us."

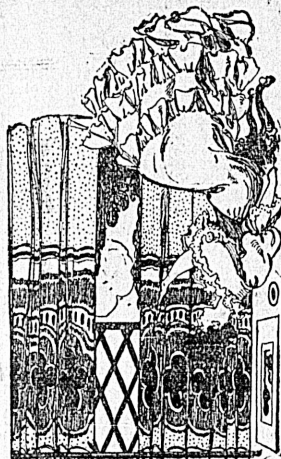
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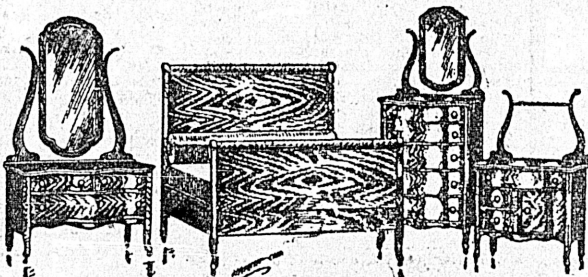
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Remember that these pieces we have specially priced are not old, out-of-date, shop-worn lines, but are furniture pieces of which we have but one or two of a kind in stock. They are stylish new pieces of the famous Weiler Quality—nothing better anywhere. The opportunity to save shouldn't be overlooked by you.

The first two cars of the new furniture to arrive are being unpacked today, and tomorrow we shall be busy marking these items. Don't fail to come in and see the new things and when in you'll also see the special offerings. New arrivals include many handsome pieces for every room.

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:: News of the World in Brief ::

PROVINCIAL

Death of Senator Perley.
Wolsley, Sask., July 15.—Senator W. D. Perley died suddenly today. He was a life-long Conservative, and was formerly member of the Dominion house for East Assinibola. He leaves a son and two daughters living here.

New Westminster Realty Deal.
New Westminster, July 15.—For a consideration of \$12,000 the second lot east of Lytton square, running from Columbia to Front street, was sold yesterday to J. Y. Griffin, head of the packing firm of that name, by W. J. Kerr.

Banquet to Ministers.
Vancouver, July 15.—A complimentary banquet will be tendered Hon. Mr. Pugsley, minister of public works, and Hon. Charles Murphy, secretary of state, by the Liberals of this city at the Hotel Vancouver on Tuesday evening next. Covers will probably be laid for 200 guests.

Fell into Sulphuric Acid.
Nelson, July 15.—Antonio Amiconi, aged 23, single, met a dreadful death at Trail smelter this morning. He was unloading an ore car when in some way not yet known he slipped and fell into a tank of sulphuric acid. Searchers for the missing man found the body. The father of the deceased works for the C. P. R. at Nelson.

Struggle for Life.
Vancouver, July 15.—A desperate struggle for life out on the muddy waters of the Fraser river last night ended in the death of Tommy Jordan, a Greek fisherman and the arrest of his partner F. Saleterous on a charge of murder.

Stabbed in the left thigh with a broad-bladed knife such as fishermen use for cleaning their catch, Jordan fought until loss of blood rendered him helpless and he sank back in the bottom of the boat a corpse. Then other fishermen, hearing the noise of the fight, rowed to the scene and overpowered Saleterous and he was brought into Steveston bound with ropes and lying alongside the stiffening figure of the man he killed. The cause of the quarrel is unknown but it is presumed to have been over the division of the work. The prisoner, who is held by Chief of Police Harris, of Steveston, is an old Greek, 60 years of age and has lived on Harlock Island, where Buttiner & Dawson have their cannery, for the last three years. The dead man came from Seattle three weeks ago and is only 24 years of age. He was the boat puller and the two shot out into the river last night apparently on the best of terms.

May Hear Judge Ben Lindsay.
Vancouver, July 15.—Plans were laid by the Juvenile Protection association last evening to bring Judge "Ben" Lindsay, of Denver, Col., the most prominent juvenile court worker on the continent, to the city in the near future. It was stated at a meeting of the organization that Judge Lindsay would be at Seattle shortly in attendance on a convention, and in view of the earnest efforts made to establish a juvenile court here, it was probable that he could be induced to pay Vancouver a

visit. A committee was appointed to communicate with him. Should his reply be favorable, arrangements will be made for a public mass-meeting, on juvenile protection work, and the noted visitor will probably be invited to address the Canadian club during his stay.

The association discussed the establishment of the juvenile court and detention quarters, and will wait upon the fire and police committee this afternoon, asking the civic authorities to take immediate action towards establishing these places. It was thought that the detention house should be a private residence, which would be in charge of a man and his wife, the former serving as superintendent and probation officer and the latter as matron. This is the plan which is followed at Winnipeg with great success.

CANADIAN

Boys off to England.

Montreal, July 15.—Ten of the High School boys who won the "Standard of Empire" free trip to the Old Country arrived today from all parts of the Dominion. They were met by the Canadian manager of that newspaper and shown the sights. Sir Edward Clouston received them at the Bank of Montreal, and congratulated them on their good fortune. They leave tomorrow for Quebec, where they will be joined by the winner in that city. They sail at 3 p.m. on the Empress of Britain, and will be away for five weeks. A fortnight from today they all lunch with Lord Roberts at his English home.

Two Girls Drowned.

Ottawa, July 15.—By the upsetting of a boat in Lake Deschênes, at Aylmer, Que., last night, Jennie and Dorothy Green, aged respectively 32 and 23, employed as waitresses in the Victoria Hotel, Ottawa, were drowned. Two young men, named Guertin and Loyer, of Ottawa, who were with them, were rescued in an exhausted condition at three o'clock this morning, after being in the water from eleven o'clock last night. Loyer is an excellent swimmer, while the others could not swim. Loyer says that after the boat upset he succeeded in getting the other three to cling to the boat, and began to shout for help, but owing to the foolish custom prevalent on the lake of boating parties doing a good deal of shouting, people on shore hearing the cries, paid no attention to them, although the shouting kept up until after two o'clock this morning, when the victims sank.

Social Evil in Winnipeg

Winnipeg, July 15.—When the thirty-three women who were arrested in the red light district of Winnipeg on Saturday night came up in the police court today, Magistrate Daly severely scored the Ministerial association and other bodies who are so bitterly opposed to segregation. His arraignment of social conditions in Winnipeg was of a most sensational character. He said: "Hundreds of young girls are parading the streets of this city flaunting their immorality in the face of the world. The greatest evidence of the social evil in Winnipeg is to be found in the lanes and byways, in the stores, in the shops, in the factories, in the houses—yes, even in the churches and Sunday schools." He gave figures

BRITISH

Henniker Heaton's Question.

London, July 15.—Henniker Heaton will ask the Postmaster-general on Monday whether in considering the proposal of the Imperial Press conference for publishing imperial news throughout Great Britain, he will consent to registration here at the present rate for British newspapers of all newspapers published in Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and other colonies, so as to enable them to be reposted at a moderate postage rate to friends in the country.

Grand Trunk Pacific Loan.

London, July 15.—The new Grand Trunk Pacific issue of two millions sterling three per cent., at 82½, guaranteed by the Dominion government, will be out tomorrow. The general feeling is that the price, which is considered extremely low, is pitched to ensure a success after the recent disagreeable experiences which some Canadian issues have had in the market.

Canadians Win at Bisley.

Bisley, July 15.—The challenge cup given by the late Col. McKinnon open to teams of twelve, at ranges of 800, 900 and 1,000 yards, was won today by the Canadian team which comprised Capt. W. H. Porrest, of Vancouver; Col. Sergt. Freeborn, Staff Sergt. Mitchell and Sergt. Major Huggins, of the Thirteenth Regiment, Hamilton; Major Jones, of the Eighty-second Regiment, Prince Edward Island; Sergt. T. K. Kelly, Tenth Grenadiers, Toronto; Capt. J. McVittie, Forty-eighth Highlanders. Other teams were England, Scotland, Ireland, India, Guernsey, Natal, Transvaal and Southern Rhodesia. At 800 yards the individual scores were: Porrest, 47; Huggins, 37; Kelly, 48; Mitchell, 47; Freeborn, 49; Jones, 44; McVittie, 42; Morris, 46; McInnis, 44; Russell, 48; Smith, 46; Sergt. Smith, 45. The team scores at this range were: Canada, 641; England, 531; Scotland, 536; Ireland, 517; India, 469; Guernsey, 504; Natal, 508; Transvaal, 536; Southern Rhodesia, 516.

FOREIGN

Exporting Gold

New York, July 15.—The National Bank of Commerce today engaged \$750,000 in gold for export to Buenos Ayres.

Millionaire's Will

Salem, Mass., July 15.—The will of Robt. D. Evans, President Taft's summer landlord, who died last week, left his entire estate, valued at \$12,000,000, to his widow. The will was filed for probate this afternoon.

Record Rifle Score

Camp Perry, Ohio, July 15.—Capt. Emmett Eddy, of the Eighth Ohio National Guards, made 333 out of a possible 350 shots on the rifle range here today, surpassing the world's record. Captain Eddy is in charge of the small arms practice tournament in August.

Change of Ambassadors

St. Petersburg, July 15.—The Novoe Vremya says that Baron Rosen, ambassador to the United States, who arrived a few days ago from Washington, is to be transferred to Vienna and that General Bakhtietoff, formerly Russian minister to Japan, is to be appointed to the Washington post.

New Dirigible Torpedo

Stockholm, July 15.—A new dirigible torpedo recently patented by a Swedish inventor, has aroused great interest in Swedish naval circles. The projectile is operated by electricity. It is said to have a range of 5,000 yards,

and its course can be altered while emerging from the point of departure at the will of the operator. Furthermore, it can be exploded whenever desired, and it has a speed of thirty knots an hour at any depth.

Body of Ensign Aiken

Naples, July 15.—The body of Ensign Hugh Kerr Aiken, of the United States cruiser North Carolina, who died July 11 as the result of an injury sustained in the explosion of coal gas on board the vessel, was brought ashore and landed at the mercantile port today. The coffin was transported this afternoon to the steamer Perugia, of the Anchor Line, which sailed later in the day for New Orleans. A salute was fired by the warships in honor of the dead officer.

Express Rates Wrong

Washington, July 15.—Rates of the Adams Express company, the American express, the Wells, Fargo & Co., and the Pacific Express company between New York and Boise and other intermountain territory, according to a decision today by the Interstate Commerce commission, in almost every instance violate the general principle that a through rate shall not exceed the lowest combination of the local rates between the same points. This decision was made in the case of the Boise Commercial club against the express companies.

Whitmore Gets Sentence

New York, July 15.—Theodore S. Whitmore, the motorman acquitted a year ago on a charge of having murdered his wife, whose body was found in a swamp in Hudson county, N. J., was today sentenced to imprisonment for two and a half years for grand larceny by Judge Rosalsky. Whitmore created a scene in court by declaring that the evidence against him was obtained through tampering with his mail by the police and constituted a violation of his "constitutional rights." Whitmore was convicted of stealing a \$200 diamond and ruby ring from the residence of Mrs. Grace Miller on Riverside drive, where he had been engaged in hanging awnings.

Presidents to Meet

Washington, July 15.—A meeting between President Taft and President Diaz of Mexico is now practically assured for about the middle of October. The president and his cabinet are giving some attention to arrangements for carrying out such an unusual and notable event. Exchanges are in progress between the two executives. President Taft, it was said today, having taken the initiative in expressing a wish that the heads of the two great republics of North America might come together. Suggestions have been made that the two executives clasp hands under a canopy erected midway on the international line at El Paso or that they in turn visit either shore and extend their good wishes at these places.

Mexican Train Dispatchers

Mexico, City, July 15.—The resignation of the entire body of train dispatchers, including the chiefs, of the National railroad lines of Mexico, which were handed in in a blanker form yesterday, is the result of the feeling by Americans against the natives. The chief point for which the dis-

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among the farmers. Everywhere I made enquiry and learned and saw that the crops were abundant and that the farmers were satisfied. Signs of the financial depression of 1907 are fast disappearing. Freight cars will be at a premium within a few weeks. We, of the railroad world, judge the prosperity of the nation as much by the number of idle cars as anything else. Throughout the past year there has been thousands idle, but they will soon be rolling about the country filled with freight."

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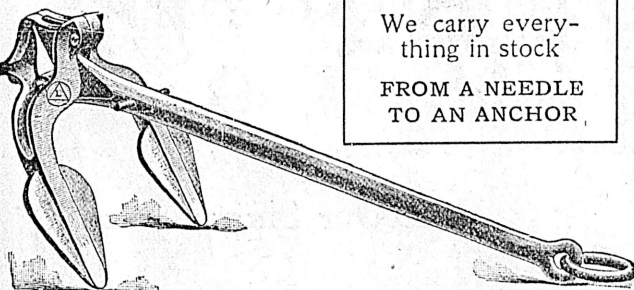
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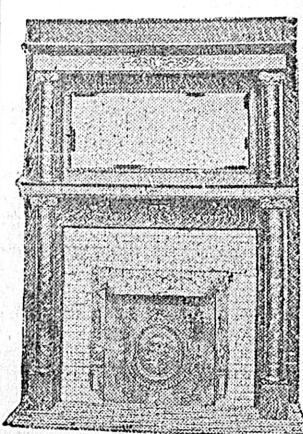
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NEWS OF THE CITY

Garden Party Held.

The ladies' Aid of St. Barnabas church held a very successful garden party yesterday afternoon. A large party of young people amused themselves with clock golf and other games during the afternoon.

More Dwellings.

Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to Nelson Benneck & Sons for a dwelling to be erected on Richardson street to cost \$3,000 and to Dunford & Matthews for a dwelling on Fell street to cost \$2,900.

School Board Meets.

Tonight the adjourned meeting of the school board will be held. The meeting should have been held on Wednesday but was adjourned owing to the sessions of the Dominion Educational Association being held here.

Mothers' Club.

A special meeting of the Mothers' club will be held in the Emmanuel Baptist schoolroom on Friday at 3 p. m. Business of importance will be considered. All members are urged to be present.

Exhibit of Marble.

An exhibit of specimens of marble from the Nootka marble quarry was opened yesterday at the shed of the Ward Company on the inner harbor. A number of interesting specimens of finished marble from the west coast quarry and workshops were on exhibition.

Has Resigned

Miss Agnes McSwain, stenographer at the city hall, has resigned her position to take effect at the end of the month. The resignation has been accepted by the council with regret. Applications for the position will be called for to be in by a week from Monday. Miss McSwain leaves this autumn for Montreal to complete her university course.

Christ Church Picnic.

The Christ church picnic at Goldstream on Wednesday was a grand success. The teachers, scholars, parents and friends had a most enjoyable time; the weather being all that could be desired. The teachers wish to thank the many friends who contributed cash, tea, cakes, butter, three hams and a joint of beef towards the picnic. Two substantial tins of cakes and sandwiches were left over and these were delivered the same evening to the orphans at Hillside avenue.

Pavement Tender Let

The contract for the laying of the vitrified brick pavement on Wharf street, will be awarded to Messrs. Sabine and Stephens. The special committee appointed by the city council to figure out the tenders of Sabine and Stephens and J. Canova, reported to the council last evening. The total tender of the former was \$15,384 and of the latter \$20,838. As soon as the necessary preliminaries are settled, work on the laying of the pavement will be commenced.

Insane and Hungry.

James Tehow, a Chinaman whose mental apparatus needs "linking," was arrested yesterday at the residence of C. E. Wilson, of the firm of Peters & Wilson and is now confined in the cells pending an examination as to his sanity. The Chinaman entered Mr. Wilson's house and demanded something to eat. A week ago he had the same thing and again yesterday his voracious appetite led him back to the same place. The police were summoned and Tehow was wheeled to the cells.

Causeway Walks

Work will commence at once of the laying of the concrete sidewalks across the causeway, a portion of the improvement scheme authorized under the bylaw recently passed. The question of what will be done with the space at the southwest end of the causeway will be decided later. The sidewalk will also run along the retaining wall to Belleville street, leaving a space which some of the aldermen suggested should be filled in with concrete while others suggest a grass plot and all favor a fountain.

Called to the Bar.

Yesterday H. D. Helmcken, K. C., introduced to the court John Percival Walls, son of J. P. Walls, who, Mr. Helmcken announced, had passed a very creditable examination. The judge welcomed the newcomer very cordially, and remembered that his father and the judge were called as barristers in British Columbia together. It was a question of who should sign the roll first, which was decided in favor of Mr. Walls. Mr. Walls, Sr., was admitted as a solicitor here in 1876, and is probably the solicitor of the oldest standing in the province.

Struck by Auto

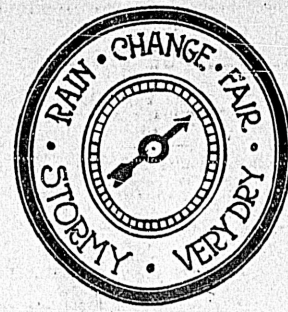
Her buggy struck by an automobile driven by J. Simpson, Mrs. Hobbes, Cadboro Bay, had a narrow escape from injury yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock while driving along Fort street near the Jubilee hospital. Just as a car was passing the auto came along bound for the Willows. There was not room for the rig, car and auto to pass, and before Mrs. Hobbes could pull back the machine struck her rig, badly smashing it, and doing extensive injury to the harness. Simpson's machine as soon as possible, but it was too late, though he was not going at a very fast rate. Mrs. Hobbes hung on to the lines and managed to retain her seat in her rig.

AROUSES HIS WRATH

Alderman Turner suggests that City Should Obey the Civic Regulations

Alderman Turner believes that if the city is to force others to observe the laws it would be wise for the corporation to set the example. The dilapidated and unsightly condition of the city yards on Yates street have aroused the "ard five representative's wrath. He referred to the matter in strong terms at the special meeting of the city council last night.

"It's a disgrace that the city should force owners to pull down old shacks and yet maintain such a place right in the heart of the city. The sheds are covered with moss and the whole is simply disgraceful," he declared. "Tell the fire chief. It will soon have it fixed. There is a \$10 fine for having buildings the roofs of which are covered with moss," was Alderman Raymond's suggestion.



THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., July 15, 1909.

SYNOPSIS.

The barometer remains high along the coast and with the exception of showers in this vicinity and in Cariboo the weather is fair and warm throughout the Pacific slope. Fair and warm weather is general in the Prairie provinces.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	53	67
New Westminster	52	71
Kamloops	56	86
Barkerville	42	62
Fort Simpson	50	68
Albany	48	62
Dawson, Y. T.	52	70
Calgary, Alta.	41	78
Winnipeg, Man.	54	76
Portland, Ore.	49	70
San Francisco, Cal.	50	66

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Friday:
Victoria and vicinity: Winds mostly westerly and southerly generally fair, not much change in temperature.
Lower Mainland: Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

	THURSDAY.
Highest	57
Lowest	53
Mean	55
Sunshine	9 hours 21 minutes.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George Jaquith, of Toronto, are visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Grant, at 1219 North Park street. They intend going over to Seattle to visit the Exposition before returning East.

G. E. Robinson and J. K. Henry, of McGill College, Vancouver, came down on Tuesday from the Upper Country, where they were superintending the teachers' examinations, and are attending the convention.

Miss Tolmie, of Glasgow, Scotland, one of the delegates from the International Council of Women, has been the guest for the past fortnight of her brother and niece, Mr. and Miss Tolmie, of Mount Tolmie, and will remain here for some weeks.

The classes of Miss Stables and Miss Le Clerg, of the Metropolitan Methodist Sunday school had a most delightful afternoon's outing at Beacon Hill yesterday. The children indulged in games and had a most enjoyable outing.

Many friends in Victoria will be interested in the announcement that has just been made of the engagement of Miss Ruth E. Cassidy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cassidy, of New Westminster and Mr. George Devine, of London, England.

Mrs. Charles Fleischmann, of Cincinnati, wife of the multimillionaire, who began the foundation of his fortunes as a manufacturer of yeast cakes, is spending a few days at the Bimingham, accompanied by Mr. W. V. Fleischmann, her son. An automobile tour of the Saanich district was included in their programme for yesterday.

ALWAYS IN THE WAY

Press Representatives Only Convenient When Formalities Are Duly Observed

The presence of the press representatives at last night's special meeting of the city council evidently prevented the delivery of a verbal opinion on the question of the city's right to end the race meet at the Willows. At the conclusion of the meeting Alderman Stewart asked the city barrister if he had reached an opinion and the latter stated that he had, but he had not had time to put his opinion in writing. However, he was quite willing to give a verbal opinion to be followed later by the proper formal communication. City Solicitor Mann, solemn and mysterious, tip-toed across the room to the city barrister and in a whisper which rattled the window panes, said: "Tush, the press are here."

"It doesn't matter to me," laughed the barrister. "But the subject was dropped and the point of whether the ponies are to race about the Willows course for the balance of the sixty-day meet remained locked in the inmost recesses of the barrister's mind."

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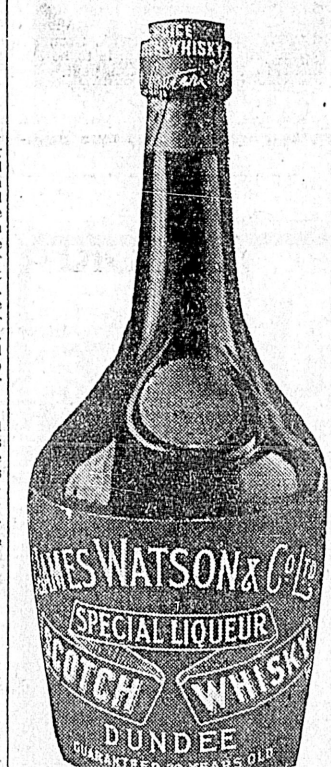
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ROBERT A. RENWICK, Deputy Commissioner of Lands, Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1909.

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Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 7th day of July, 1909, at the office of the Government Agent at Prince Rupert, and at the Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for.

The cheque or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelope furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer.

Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 3rd July, 1909. jys

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Continental Power Company, Limited, will be held at the registered office of the Company, at 918 Government street, in the city of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, on Monday, the 19th day of July, 1909, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1909.

M. A. MELLON, Secretary.

DOUGLAS STREET

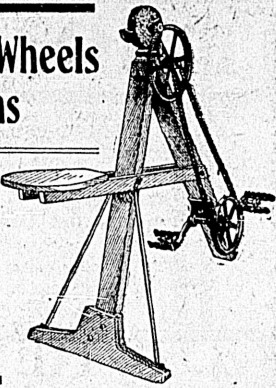
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PASS BYLAW OF EXPROPRIATION

City Council Settles Measure and Now It Is Up to the Ratepayers

The bylaw authorizing the city to raise a sum not exceeding \$1,350,000 for the purpose of expropriating the undertaking, lands, works and water of the Esquimalt Waterworks company and to conduct the water of the Goldstream watershed into the city and construct incidental works to supply such water in the city and neighborhood is now ready to go to the ratepayers.

At a special meeting of the city council held last evening to consider the bylaw and put it through the various stages, the measure was settled so far as the council can do so. City Barrister Taylor was present and passed upon the measure which, after some few amendments, was accepted by the council.

After setting forth that it is the intention of the city to expropriate the company's undertaking and to offer \$850,000, and if that amount is refused, to proceed to arbitration to determine the compensation which shall be paid the company, and that it will cost approximately \$430,000 to conduct the water to the city, and that other incidental expenses will be necessary, the bylaw states that it is necessary that the sum of not more than \$1,350,000 be raised upon the security of the waterworks system and property now existing and to be acquired and the rates, rentals and charges and general revenue with the guarantee of the city. The measure goes on to provide for the issue of debentures in the same manner as in all money by-laws.

Annual Charge.
The loan will run for a period of 50 years, requiring an annual charge for sinking fund and interest of \$72,542.50. The debentures raised under the bylaw will be virtually a second mortgage as under section 7 of the Victoria Waterworks Act amendment, 1909, previous loans made by the city for waterworks purposes, amounting to over \$900,000 will be a prior charge, but as some of these loans will be retired gradually and already there have been set aside sinking funds for that purpose the actual prior charge will not amount to the figure. The debentures, also, will not be made a charge upon the land and water of the Thetis lake watershed. That system, if secured by the city, will not be operated, and as the land and timber thereon and the water become commercially valuable for other purposes it might happen that the city would wish to dispose of that part of the system but if mortgaged, such a sale could not be negotiated without the consent of the debenture holders.

City Solicitor Mann pointed out that as the bylaw is one submitted under the waterworks act a bare majority vote will pass it. In ordinary cases of money bylaws three-fifths of the total vote polled on a measure must be in favor thereof before it can carry.

At Monday night's meeting of the council the date on which the bylaw

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SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS

Results of First and Second Year
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Law

The final results of the law examinations recently held in the court house have been announced. Intermediate students having been given out. Carswell & Co., the well known Toronto firm of law publishers, are giving a prize to the student heading the list in each of these classes, G. E. Haussner and A. S. Johnston being the lucky men.

The results follow:
First intermediate—G. E. Haussner, 78 per cent.; W. H. B. Webster, G. R. McQueen and D. S. Montgomery.
Second intermediate—A. S. Johnston, 76 per cent.; F. A. Jackson, C. L. Fillmore, L. J. Ladner, C. J. White, A. G. Harvey, D. W. F. McDonald, L. C. Mills and A. J. Patton.

WHEN FALL FAIRS WILL BE HELD

Date of Various Provincial
Shows Announced—Vic-
toria's Sept. 20 to 25

The provincial exhibition takes place in Victoria, September 20th to the 25th.

The list of fall fairs has been about compiled, and is as follows:
Nelson—September 22, 23 and 24.
Kelowna—September 21, 22 and 23.
Kamloops—October 6 and 8.
Agassiz—September 6.
Chilliwack—October 6, 7 and 8.
Delta—September 17 and 18.
Surrey—October 5.
Langley—October 6.
Maple Ridge—September 8 and 9.
Coquitlam—September 23.
New Westminster—October 12 to 16.
Richmond—September 29 to 30.
Comox—September 16 and 17.
Islands—September 15.
Cowichan—September 10 and 11.
Alberni—September 14 and 15.
Nanaimo—September 16 and 17.
Kaslo—September 16 and 17.
Armstrong—September 29 and 30.
Burns—September 30.
Okanagan—September 16, 17 and 18.

HORSE AND BUGGY VANISH COMPLETELY

Property Left on Metchohn Road and
Few Minutes Later Was Gone—
Police Puzzled

A mystery, of a somewhat unusual character, is puzzling the local provincial police force. It is the unaccountable disappearance of a horse and buggy. Those entrusted with the enforcement of the law are worried because they can't find a clue, and have exhausted every resource in the endeavor. R. Hull, of Colwood, left his horse and buggy, unattended, on a path just off the Metchohn road last Thursday evening, and returned to find them gone. A thorough personal search failed, and the police were notified. It has been established that no horse and buggy as described were shipped from the city, that they were never taken to any local transfer stable, that they are not on the property of any of the district's ranchers, nor have been seen by any of them. Under the circumstances the police have been forced to abandon the most plausible theory that they were stolen. It is believed that the horse wandered off into the woods. Mr. Hull has offered a reward of \$25, and today the country is being scoured.

ACCEPTS PLANS OF H. S. GRIFFITH

Board and Building Committee Decide on Architect for Y.M.C.A. Building

The plans of H. S. Griffith, the local architect, for the projected Y.M.C.A. building have been accepted.

This action was taken by the board and building committee at a meeting held last night to consider the six sets of plans submitted. Hargreaves & Hargreaves were awarded the second prize of \$250 in cash for their set.

The judges, W. W. Northcott, J. G. Brown and T. Brydon, assisted by an advisory committee of three Y. M. C. A. men, C. R. Sayer, of Winnipeg; E. W. Thomson, of Spokane, and J. M. Grahame, of Vancouver, met on Tuesday evening and made their decision. The names of those submitting the plans were unknown to them, being numbered, the latter corresponding to the different contestants, T. D. Sedger, H. S. Griffith, P. L. James, D. C. Frame, R. T. Garrow and Hargreaves & Hargreaves.

No rewards are payable until after the contract for the building is let, but the decision is final except in the event of the lowest tender running over \$70,000.

The building is a four-storey stone and brick structure with swimming bath 21 by 50 feet, three sets of locker rooms for business men, young men and boys, bowling alleys, billiard room, boiler room and restaurant, all of which are located in the basement.

On the ground floor a spacious rotunda and lobby with boys' and men's departments separate, general office, reading room, library and a gymnasium 45 by 68 feet fitted with concave, running track 30 laps to the mile, are located.

On the second floor is an auditorium with stage and gallery to seat 600 people provided with a lift from the kitchen, capable of handling large banquets with special thought for the requirements of the Canadian club. Six class rooms are provided on this floor and the upper part of the gymnasium. The third and fourth floors contain 41 bedrooms, all steam heated and lighted, with one room on the fourth floor a handball court, 20 by 20 by 40. Good elevator service is provided and a roof garden is proposed if funds will permit.

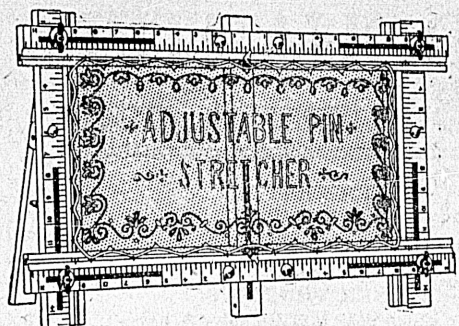
The plans will be thoroughly criticized by the ablest experts in the east who have had fifty years experience in Y. M. C. A. structures. All this will be in consultation with the local architect, who will have supreme charge, but is anxious to get the best building that \$70,000 will put up. The lot at the corner of View and Douglas streets has been fully paid for and deeds and titles secured and registered. The money is coming in well.

The board and building committee are well pleased with the outlook and are determined to have the best possible plant for the boys and young men of the city that the citizens' gift of \$100,000 can secure.

B.C. PERMANENT LOAN COMPANY. DIVIDEND NO. 22

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum has this day been declared on the permanent stock of the company for the half year ending June 30th, 1909, and that the same will be payable at the branch office of the company, 1210 Government street, Victoria, B. C., on and after July 15, 1909.

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Here and There

A number of the speakers at the International Congress of Women, of whom Miss Agnes Laut was the most prominent, spent a great deal of time and energy in abusing the newspapers. Miss Laut had a grievance against certain of the New York sensational papers, and she arraigned the whole press of the country in consequence. It might have been thought that a woman of Miss Laut's ability would have weighed her words more carefully. It is no part of a true Canadian to give a large body of foreign visitors a false impression of our press.

Neither in Canada, nor for the most part in the United States, can it be said truly of any great number of newspapers that they use their great power for evil ends. On the contrary, they are the most zealous of workers in all benevolent causes. If a hospital needs funds, if an orphanage requires support, if aid is needed in the fight against consumption, if a great fire leaves the inhabitants of a town homeless, the newspapers open their columns to provide help and relief for the suffering and the needy. It would be very hard for any of the critics to point to any Canadian newspaper that had ever refused to devote time and space to the advancement of any benevolent project.

For the sake of which the newspapers may be justly accused, the women of the country must take their share of blame. In these days they form a very large part of the newspaper reading population. If they persistently refused to read the demagogic gossip that is the way to the columns of even the most carefully edited newspapers, its publication would be left to a very few. How many women have refrained from reading the reports of the Gould divorce suit, or the abominable story of the trial of Harry Thaw? As long as news of this sort is asked for it will be published in more or less detail. Women can help to close the columns of the papers to sensational stories of crime by refusing to read them or even to buy the papers which devote much of their space to them. Like most reforms, this must begin at home. But when all is said, the tone of the great majority of Canadian papers from the Atlantic to the Pacific is elevating, and it ill becomes Canadian women to exaggerate the defects of the press of their own country in the presence of foreigners.

When all the world is better for the work of some great man, and when, through him, many great fortunes have been made, it would seem very unjust that his own descendants should reap no benefit. But this is not seldom the case.

A short time ago the daughter of Bret Harte, the great American story writer, died in such destitution that a subscription had to be raised to bury her, and more recently, four granddaughters of Charles Dickens received a pension of \$2.50 a week from the civil list.

Meanwhile the books of Bret Harte and the popularity of the novels of Dickens are making the fortunes of publishers like Colliers, who issue cheap editions of his works.

Commenting on this, Saturday Night says: "The man of all authors in England—one might almost say, in the world—whose creations have given most pleasure to the great public of readers, and whose books are now more than ever an unfailing source of innocent and wholesome joy, the man who toiled with a fierce intensity of energy all his life long that this great body of work might be left behind as a heritage to the human race, this man's children are allowed to come to want, while his books go on their way giving delight to millions and millions, and making fortunes for publishers."

It does seem that the law by which the author of a really great book loses after a very short time the power to profit by their sale, is an unjust one. Surely it is the least that the world can do to secure to him and to his heirs some share, however small, in the money that is made by the publishers.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

W. B. Garrard, wife and son, are taking a trip to Alberni for 10 days.

Mr. Thomas Dunn, of Vancouver, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. J. C. Lane, of San Francisco, is enjoying a short visit in this city.

Mr. J. T. Evans, of Toronto, Ont., is in this city on a short business trip.

Among new residents in Victoria is J. O. Stinson, from Chesley, Ont.

Mrs. Frank Barnard is having a garden party this afternoon.

V. Spencer went over to Vancouver last night on a short business trip.

Hon. F. I. Carter Cotton returned to Vancouver last evening on the Charmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Nixon went over to Vancouver last night on a visit to friends.

Rev. S. J. Thompson left last night on the Charmer on his return to Kelowna.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Logan, of Vancouver, are visiting J. D. and Mrs. Forman, Belcher street.

Mrs. J. C. Browne, 456 Niagara street, will not entertain this afternoon nor again until October.

Mrs. J. C. Noot, of Quatsino, is spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Wall, of Chambers street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Evans, of Croft street, are entertaining Thomas and Mrs. Hamilton, of Grandal, Man.

Mrs. Eric O. Kamm, of Moyle, B. C., is visiting her father, Mr. J. Oliver, Admiral's road.

Miss Thain, of this city, is leaving for California. She will be away for about a month.

N. H. Tackett, of Duncan, is in town on a short visit. He is registered at the King Edward Hotel.

Mr. J. T. Hughes, of Toronto, Ont., is in this city, and is a guest at the King Edward Hotel.

A Porter, of Chemainus, is in this city for a few days, and is stopping at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. John George from Port Elgin, Ont., are spending a few days in Victoria.

Mrs. William Hooper, of Cambie street, Vancouver, is spending a few weeks in Victoria.

Mrs. W. H. Deland, of Vancouver has been visiting in Victoria as the guest of Mrs. M. E. Walker.

The Misses Urquhart, from Vancouver, who formerly resided in Victoria, are spending a few days here.

Mr. Alexander Burke, of Calgary, who spent yesterday in the city last night en route for the east.

Miss H. Shakespeare left yesterday by the Northern Pacific on a visit to friends in Portland, Ore.

Thomas Hooper, of the firm of Hooper and Watkins, architects, went over to Vancouver last night on a short business trip.

A. Clark is in this city on a short business trip from Vancouver, and will return in a few days. He is staying at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Westwood are among the arrivals who registered at the King Edward Hotel from Nanaimo yesterday.

C. P. Fraser arrived yesterday from Mayne Island, and is among the many guests registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. R. Landell, principal of the Golden Public School, who spent a few days in Vancouver, is now visiting in Victoria.

Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Green, of Minneapolis and Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Ford, of Vancouver, are at the Dominion for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McAllan, of Los Angeles, Cal., are spending a few days in town, and while here are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ashe, Foul Bay road.

Miss Sherritt, who has been on a visit to Vancouver and was the guest of Mrs. R. G. Clark, Heatley avenue, has returned to Victoria.

Mrs. George Carter, who has been spending a holiday at Banff and Glacier, has returned after a very pleasant visit.

Mrs. H. E. Dunnell and children, with Miss Mills, art mistress, will spend their holidays on Salt Spring Island.

Mr. Robertson, K.C., of Collingwood, Ont., will spend some time at the coast as the guest of his daughter, Mrs. A. T. Watt, William Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolte, Miss Anna Nolte and Miss Helen May Hickey

left Tuesday by the City of Nanaimo for a two week's visit to Comox.

Miss Lou Belyea, of Vancouver, who is in attendance at the Educational Convention, is the guest of Miss Geraldine Starr, Michigan street.

Among the passengers on the Charmer for Vancouver last night were: D. Murphy, W. E. Burdett, Mrs. McLean, J. Prentice, E. Buchan, F. W. Pratt.

Miss McKenzie, who taught for several years in Victoria, is visiting old friends in Victoria. Miss McKenzie is staying at the Poplars.

The Misses Neelands, of Minnola, Man., are making an extended visit in Victoria and are the guests of Mrs. William Clyde.

Miss Mary Buss, from Grand Prairie, near Kamloops, is spending her summer holiday with her parents in Charles street.

Mr. J. W. F. Harrison, of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, arrived in the city yesterday and will today conduct an examination in pianoforte for that institution.

Mrs. H. W. Champion, accompanied by her daughter and her niece, Miss Macdonald, left last night for their home in Rossland after an enjoyable visit to friends in Victoria.

Mrs. Grace and daughter, of Vancouver, who have been visiting with friends in the city for the past two weeks, returned home last evening on the Charmer.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. William Elliott & son Welles, have arrived in this city and are guests of Mrs. George Robinson. "Vlaned" Esquimalt road. Mrs. Elliott is a sister of the late Mr. G. W. Robinson. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott intend remaining in the city for some time.

Among the arrivals who registered at the King Edward Hotel from Vancouver yesterday were: Mr. J. Locke, Mrs. A. Thompson, Mr. H. J. Hollins, Mr. H. D. Simmons, and C. Croft.

Dr. F. Fraser went over to Seattle by yesterday's Sound steamer to attend the meeting of the State of Washington Dental Association, which commences there today.



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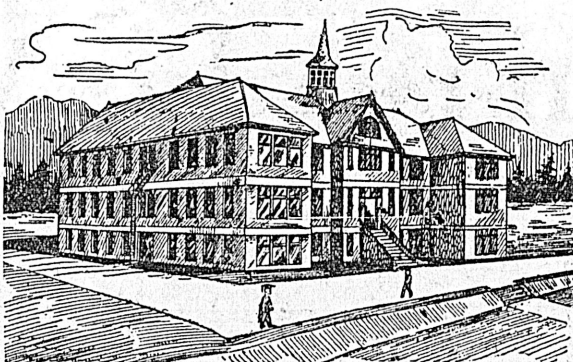
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Says He Will Fight Jack Johnson in the Near Future

Toronto, July 15.—James J. Jeffries, who is in Toronto, said today that he will be ready to fight Jack Johnson at the appointed time. Sam Berger, who is Jeffries' manager as well as his sparring partner, said that Johnson would probably not be on hand when they reached Chicago. A dispatch from Chicago today said Johnson would confront Jeffries in Chicago Saturday with \$10,000 to bind a match.

Jeffries is annoyed by the reports that he does not intend to fight Johnson, but that he is just holding it up as a bait to catch the public during his theatrical tour.

"I'll fight him," he said, "and it won't be any Tommy Burns that he will find in the ring. Burns, a champion? Well, he was a good fast little boxer, but no match for a big man. Who is champion? I can't be blamed for claiming the title. I won the championship from all comers and

by four years' retirement was due to the fact that there was nobody to fight. I could not get anybody to give me a battle so I turned to other lines of endeavor.

"The fake story that I gave the title to Marvin Hart when I retired is absurd on the face of it. I could not give the title away even if I wanted to, and what's more, I did not.

"However, I am ready again to do business at the old stand. You can see for yourself what condition I'm in. I weigh 235 pounds now, and I've taken off 45 pounds since I started training. I hurt my left hand a long time ago, but it is all right now."

RACING WINNERS AT NEWMARKET

Newmarket, Eng., July 15.—The Reach selling plate of 200 sovereigns for two-year-olds, distance five furlongs and 140 yards, was run today and won by Celluloid. Miss Ellen was second and Little Black-Eye third. August Belmont's Doncourt was among the 15 starters but was unplaced.

The Bury handicap of 200 sovereigns for three-year-olds and upwards, distance five furlongs, was won by Vigilance. H. P. Whitney's Sealiff was second and Shy Lad third. Nine horses ran.

The Chesterfield stakes was won by Lemberg, two to three; Satrall second, six to one; Prince Rupert four to one was third.

Midsummer stakes was won by St. Victor, 11 to 10; Symbolic second,

100 to six; Tantonie Bell third, three to one.

Following are the probable starters for the Eclipse stakes, distance 1 1/4 miles, to be run Friday, July 16: His Majesty, Santo Strato, Moren, Perrier, Royal Realm, Putehamin, Electric Boy, Bayard, Blackeye II, Diamond Stud, Mato, The Mint, Bobbin and Doro.

HORSE SHOW AT SEATTLE

Seattle, July 14.—The committee of the Seattle Horse Show Association has secured the new Armory building for the fourth annual horse show, which will be held on September 23, 24 and 25. This building is admirably suited for a large affair of this character, and its close proximity to all the leading hotels of the city will make it a convenient rendezvous for all lovers and friends of the horse.

The success of the former horse shows is sufficient assurance that this year's exhibition will be a pronounced winner. The spaciousness and safety of the tan bark ring, the arrangement of the boxes and ample seating capacity, from which an interrupted view can be obtained of the show ring, will tend to make the forthcoming exhibition an event worthy of the city. Society will vie with the noble thoroughbred, and the dates of the horse show will inaugurate a week which should repay the efforts of the horse show committee and friends of the association.

When training, and you get that tired feeling, as though you have done enough, grit your teeth, and keep plugging until the tired feeling wears off. Smoking must cease, and no liquor can be consumed if you ever expect to be a top-notch.

LOU SCHOLLES LIKES VICTORIA

Champion Amateur Sculler
Spends Pleasant Day With
Local Athletes

HUSKY OARSMAN ROWS SHELL UP TO GORGE

Father of Toronto Boy Says
Lou Will Never Row
Professional

"I like Victoria better than any city in Canada that I have ever visited, and it will be a long time before I forget the trip which I made to the Capital of British Columbia," said Lou Scholles last evening before embarking on the Princess May for Seattle, where he will take in the A-Y-P exposition. Lou Scholles, accompanied by his father, John F. Scholles, will spend a couple of days in the Sound city, after which they will proceed to Portland, going east via Ogden.

The world's best amateur single sculler is anxious to get back to Toronto at the earliest possible moment, as he is to compete in the Canadian championships on July 26 and 27. This will give a very short time in which to work into good condition and get over the effects. The champion's boat was shipped from Nelson to Toronto direct, so when he arrives in the east there will be no delays in getting down to hard work.

Yesterday the husky oarsman spent a very pleasant day in town. In the morning he went up to the Gorge in one of the J. B. A. double sculls, accompanied by the local single sculler, Billy Kennedy. Scholles says that the waters of the Gorge are superior to any body of water on which he has ever pulled a boat; the water is in a sense faster and the boat responds much quicker than to the heavy water on the eastern lakes. During the afternoon the oarsman and his father were taken for a long drive and a pleasant afternoon was spent. The delightful trip around Shoal bay and the golf links was enjoyed immensely by the well known easterners, who claim that there are no drives in Ontario that can surpass the local ones.

Scholles Pere

For a man that is at present in his 67th year, John F. Scholles is as active as the average man of thirty, which he claims is due to the fact that in his younger days he took part in every branch of athletics that was going. Of John F. Scholles' famous eastern sporting critic in the olden days wrote: "He is one of the greatest

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living fighters, and if he would only turn professional he could easily become the champion heavyweight of the world." Besides being an old-time boxer Dad Scholles was captain of the old Ontario Lacrosse club, when that twelve won the championship, and in the early days was known as the best all around athlete in the world.

Dad Scholles handles all the managing affairs of the stalwart young oarsman, and whatever the Governor (as Lou calls him) says is law as far as the winner of the diamond sculls is concerned. When questioned by the sporting editor of the Colonist yesterday as to whether or not Lou would ever turn professional, the father said: "Time and time again we have been offered fat inducements to get Lou to turn from the amateur ranks. Only recently a big temptation was put in our way for my son to go to Australia and pull against Arnst, the champion professional single sculler.

"If Lou turned pro, he would be a big thing for a short time, but it wouldn't be long before there would be no matches in sight and he would be deprived of competing in any more regattas. He loves rowing too much to think of doing anything like that." Before leaving yesterday Lou and his father expressed a vote of thanks to the management of the J. B. A. A. and others for the entertainment provided for them, and expressed a deep regret at not being able to pay a more extended visit to Victoria.

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BELMONT'S DONCOURT UNPLACED IN REACH PLATE

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Our old friend and fellow athlete, Jimmy Bendrodt, arrived back into town looking hale and hearty after spending several months in the wilds of Vancouver on a survey. Jimmy says he is glad to get back, and says he is feeling strong as a lion, and that the trip with the surveying party did him the world of good.

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VICTORIA BOYS DOING WELL

Harry Beasley Wins Heats in
Three Junior Races at
Winnipeg

VAIO RUNS SECOND
IN TWO EVENTS

Parsons of Neepawa, Man.,
Wins Five-mile Race in
Fast Time

Winnipeg, July 15.—Harry Beasley, of the Victoria Y. M. C. A., was the big hit in the first heats of the junior championships held here today, under the auspices of the C. A. A. U., winning heats in the 100 yard, 220 yard, and 440 yard sprints in rapid succession. The British Columbia boy won the century sprint in 10 2-5 secs., leading by over fifteen feet; the furlong in 24 sec. flat; and the quarter-mile in 54 3-5 sec. He had an easy time winning in each of these events, as the other runners were completely outclassed. Beasley should run out in the finals on Saturday.

Brooke Vaio, another Victoria sprinter, who came east highly recommended, finished second in the first heat of the 100 yards. In this heat all the field was put back one yard by the starter, except Barber, of the West End Y. M. C. A., of Toronto, who won out by two feet in 10 1-5 sec. Vaio ran as great a race as has ever been seen, and if he had not been on the outside track, would undoubtedly have won.

The second heat was won by Siebert, of Toronto, also in 10 1-5 sec. Bricker, also of the West End Y. M. C. A., of Toronto, won his heat in the same time as the two previous heats, making the third time of 10 1-5 sec. in the senior hundreds.

Following is the summary:

The five mile race was the first event, and was won by Harold Parsons, of Neepawa, Manitoba, in the fast time of 26 min. 1 1-5 sec; Scho-

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

If you're going to grouch, do it properly and make a good job of it. When through, don't kick the pup or grind the enamel any longer. Dentists' fees cost money.

New Westminster. There is plenty of Westminster in sight, so that the prospects of big betting seem very bright. The Vancouver men figure that with Alex. Turnbull out of the game the Minto Cup holders will be very much weakened.

The two surprises of the present week: Ad. Volgrast gets the best of But. Nelson in ten rounds, and Jim Flynn, the Pueblo fireman, has a shade the best of Billy Papke in the same number of rounds. Very little stock will be taken of these two recent performances, as the distance is too short to prove anything, and, besides, in the southern metropolis the law allows the use of only ten ounce gloves. As the fights pulled off at Los Angeles must be no decision bouts, too much stock cannot be taken in the reports sent out from the ringside.

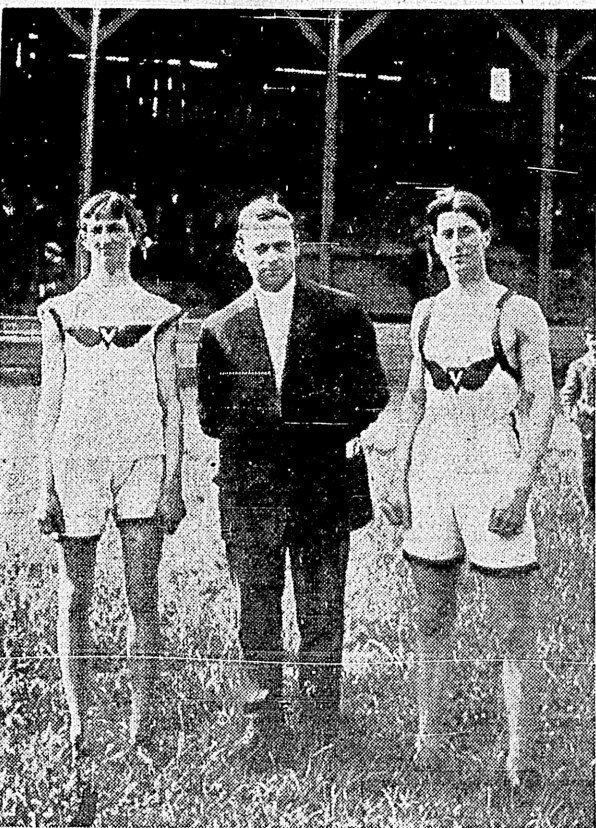
All local athletes are expected to go into rigid training for the B. C. A. U. track and field meet that is to take place here on the 7th of August. The Vancouver Island championships will be the issue of this meet, and all those finishing first and second in any of the events will go to the Mainland to try for the British Columbia championships.

Tomorrow's pugilistic attraction at San Francisco: Young Corbett vs. Johnny Frayne.

BASEBALL

Northwestern League.			
	R.	H.	E.
At Spokane—			
Seattle	4	7	4
Spokane	6	7	1
At Portland—			
Tacoma	2	2	2
Portland	6	10	1
At Aberdeen—			
Vancouver	6	11	2
Aberdeen	2	6	3
Pacific Coast League.			
	R.	H.	E.
At San Francisco—			
Los Angeles	5	6	1
Oakland	0	5	3
At Los Angeles—			
San Francisco	7	13	0
Vernon	4	7	4
At Sacramento—			
Portland	5	10	1
Sacramento	4	7	4

These Victorians Showed Class



Victorians Successful At Championship Meet

To the left, Beasley, who took junior 100, 220, and 440. To the right, B. Vaio, who took second in senior 100 and 220. The centre figure is Trainer W. G. Findlay, of Y. M. C. A.

The A.Y.P. Airship at A.Y.P. Exposition

It's Inventor Visits City

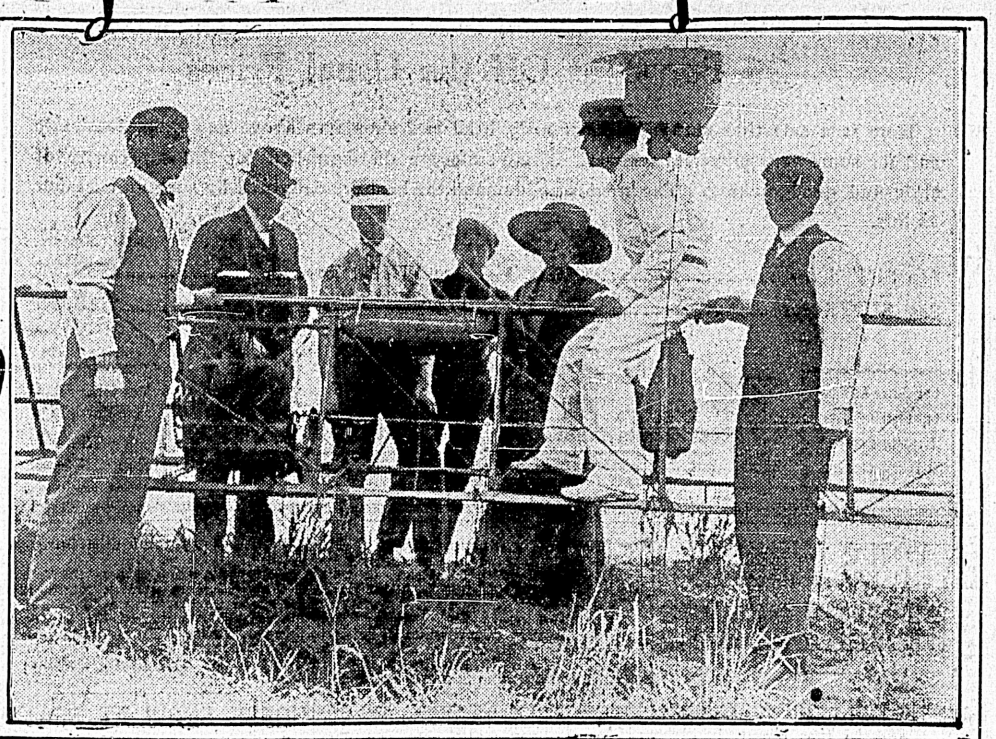
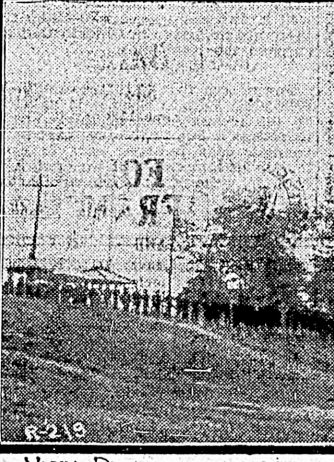
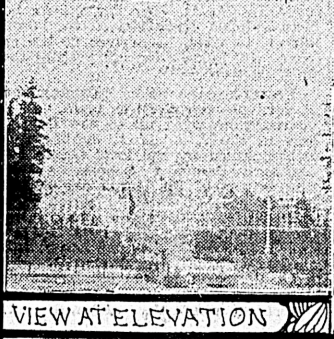
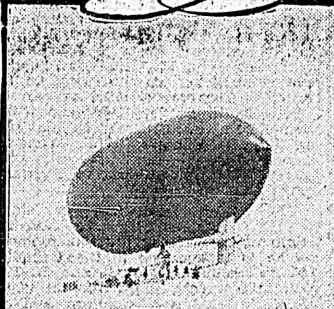
J. C. Mars, the aeronaut who, at Seattle, has made fifty-seven successful ascents with his dirigible, the invention of himself and Captain Baldwin, is in the city. He is accompanied by J. S. M. Eley, of the transcontinental Pathfinder car's crew. The object of the trip was to interview J. E. Smart, the secretary of the agricultural association, with a view to adding the airship attraction to the list of those which will be seen here next September at the annual show.

The success of the airship has been phenomenal, and in the days when Zeppelin's craft is attracting so much interest, the number of flights which have been made so successfully by an American in a dirigible is of increased interest. Fifty-seven flights in his five weeks' engagement shows the advances which have been made in the past few years in this class of craft. At the Portland Fair, Mr. Mars, in a similar length of time made but twenty flights, while in the preceding exhibition at St. Louis, but fifteen successful trips were made.

Mr. Mars, who, while comparatively young, has yet spent the past sixteen years in experimenting with different types of dirigibles and gas fired balloons. His wife, Mrs. Mars, often assists him in his ascents.

On the completion of his new airship, he will make a number of long flights, and amongst others, will fly over and beneath the Brooklyn bridge.

The accompanying photos, taken exclusively for the Colonist, shows Mr. Mars making ready for a flight, his wife standing by; a picture of the dirigible getting under way from a point beneath; and a third picture of the airship high in the clouds.



Left to right; C. R. Mann, F. C. Ditmore, S. Vaughan, F. Bell, Mrs. J. C. Mars, J. C. Mars, Otto Klives.

THE COLONIST FORM CHART

VICTORIA, B.C., Thursday, July 15, 1909.—35th day. Weather clear. Track fast. F. St. D. Skinner, Presiding Judge. Richard Dwyer, Starter.

4706 FIRST RACE—Five furlongs. Selling. The "Accident." Two-year-olds. Value to first \$150.

Ind. Horse	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
(4602) Miss Plentic	105	1	1 1/2	2 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Vosper
(4693) Electrowan	105	3	2 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	J. King
(4680) Alarmed	105	6	6	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	Anderson
(4683) Fire	105	5	4 1/2	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	Keogh
(4692) Orsdruff	105	2	5 1/2	6 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Coburn
(4625) Cesarilass	105	4	3 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	Quay

At post 1 minute. Off at 2:31. Time—2:34; 49 2-5; 1:02 1-5. Winner b. f. Altamex—Plentic. Trained by G. Wentworth. Start good. Won driving. Second easily. Third handily. It was nip and tuck all the way between Plentic and Electrowan and the former proved the gamier. Electrowan's race day previous told and she hung a bit at the end. Alarmed ran her race. Fire made a fair showing. Cesarilass showed speed.

4707 SECOND RACE—Five furlongs. Selling. The "Ambulance." Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150.

Ind. Horse	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
(4577) Marvel P	107	2	1 1/2	2 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Keogh
(4682) Banellen	112	10	7 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Coburn
(4669) La Rose	104	1	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	J. King
(4681) Semproule	106	4	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	Shale
(4683) Anna Karenina	104	7	8	7	7	7	7	7	McEwen
(4628) Auburndale	112	9	9 1/2	9 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	Anderson
(4654) Lady's Beauty	104	3	6 1/2	6 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	McLaughlin
(4605) Josie S.	112	8	10	10	9	9	9	9	D. Riley
(4668) Lady Strouber	108	5	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	Callahan
(4669) Water Thrush	104	2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	Vosper

At post 5 minutes. Off at 3:03. Time—2:42 2-5; 1:03 1-5. Winner b. m. Plaudin—Mileah. Trained by C. C. Emmett. Start good. Won easily. Second and third driving. Marvel P outran her field all the way. La Rose ran a good race, but tired at the end. Banellen stood a long drive gamely. Water Thrush apparently of little account.

4708 THIRD RACE—Five furlongs. Selling. The "Doctors." Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150.

Ind. Horse	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
(4628) Lovely Mary	112	3	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	Anderson
(4645) David Boland	114	2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Vosper
(4615) Storma	107	1	2 1/2	3 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	Keogh
(4668) Marianna	99	4	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	Kederis
(4682) Goldena	107	6	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	Stock
(4645) R. H. Flaherty	109	8	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	Coburn
(4683) Fredonia	101	7	7 1/2	8	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	Anderson
(4690) Sonalto	111	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	T. Sullivan

At post 4 1/2 minutes. Off at 3:34. Time—2:41; 50 1-5; 1:02 3-5. Winner ch. m. Horatio—Mottie. Trained by J. Maddox. Start good. Won easily. Second and third same. Storma showed good speed but tried to run out at water tank. Marianna best of balance. Goldena needs a stronger rider.

4709 FOURTH RACE—One mile. Owners' Handicap. The "Hospital." Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$225.

Ind. Horse	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
(4644) Fantastic	112	2	1 1/2	3 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Vosper
(4644) Johnstown	75	6	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	McEwen
(4592) Barney Oldfield	73	4	2 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	Kederis
(4568) Day Star	97	1	6 1/2	7 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	Coburn
(4657) French Cook	91	7	7 1/2	8	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	E. Williams
(4670) Edwin T. Fryer	90	3	5 1/2	6 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Anderson
(4657) Servience	87	8	6 1/2	7 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	Callahan
(4659) Capt. Burnett	74	5	4 1/2	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	Jahnsen

At post 3 1/2 minutes. Off at 4:07 1/2. Time—2:46; 51; 1:16 2-5; 1:42. Winner br. m. Galore—Phantom Belle. Trained by O. F. Johnson. Start good for all but Servience. Won handily. Second easily. Third driving. Fantastic the class of the race. She set the pace all the way and was never in serious trouble. Johnstown ran a smart race. So did Oldfield. Day Star was closing strong. Servience a better horse in muddy going.

4710 FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs. Purse. The "Nurses." Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150.

Ind. Horse	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
(4604) Jim Mailady	102	2	3 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Vosper
(4629) Fern L.	97	1	1 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	Anderson
(4642) Laura Clay	107	4	2 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	Coburn
(4654) Shirley Rossmore	107	5	4 1/2	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	Kederis
(4681) Koroslany	107	3	6 1/2	7 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	Callahan
(4653) Charles	106	6	5 1/2	6 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Hardwick

*Coupled with Elizabeth Harwood. At post 4 1/2 minutes. Off at 4:36. Time—2:41; 49 2-5; 1:01 3-5. Winner br. m. Galore—Phantom Belle. Trained by F. H. Pierce. Start good for all but Servience. Won handily. Second easily. Third driving. Mailady ran a surprisingly good race, taking lead in backstretch and galloping to his field. Fern L. will do from now on. Laura Clay ridden but could not gain any. Harwood needs stronger rider. This little boy could not help her at all.

4711 SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. Selling. The "Well Again." Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150.

Ind. Horse	Wt.	St.	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.
(4682) La Taranta	111	4	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	D. Riley
(4685) May Pink	109	2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	McLaughlin
(4655) Titus II	112	5	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Anderson
(4681) Be Brief	101	7	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Kederis
(4670) Lord Provost	111	3	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	Coburn
(4683) Mike Hennessy	114	6	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	Hardwick
(4685) Bold	99	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	Vosper

At post 2 1/2 minutes. Off at 5:02 1/2. Time—2:41; 49; 1:15 3-5. Winner br. m. Galore—Phantom Belle. Trained by F. H. Pierce. Start good. Won driving. Second and third easily. Pink ran a powerful finish on Taranta, and he just landed in last stride. Pink ran a smart race. Titus did his best. Harries interfered with final furlong. Bold ran out all the way.

Get nine hours of sleep every night while training.

Avoid sweet foods as much as possible.

Tomorrow's field in the three mile race at the Scottish sports will be the classiest that has responded to a start-

er's gun for some time. The following are expected to be on the mark: Coleman, Baylis, Raine (Vancouver), Carroll, Thomas, Sweeney, Johnstone, A. Lineham, and George Dickson.

The finals in the Dominion track and field championships will be pulled off at Winnipeg tomorrow afternoon.

UP AGAINST IT FOR REFEREES

Final Meeting Takes Place This
Evening and Question
Still Unsettled

LOCAL MEN SHOULD
COME TO RESCUE

Westminster Announces Line-
up for Saturday—Vancou-
ver Twelve Unchanged

The referee question on the mainland is in just as big a muddle at the present time as it ever was.

Late last evening Con Jones, the manager of the Vancouver twelve, wired the sporting editor of the Colonist that they were strictly up against it on the referee question, and to try and secure two local men to officiate in Saturday's contest. An attempt will be made to secure two local men to officiate in Saturday's contest. An attempt will be made to secure two local men, and this is the last straw, as the deciding meeting will be held at New Westminster, when some red-hot orations are expected. The Vancouver line-up will be exactly the same as last week, and the Vancouveries are going in determined to win from the first sound of the whistle. A New Westminster despatch says:

The Westminster Lacrosse Club is determined, according to the decision at its executive meeting last night, that a firm understanding should be made with the Vancouver club at the executive meeting of the association in this city tomorrow night.

The local men are quite ready to throw up the game on Saturday if Vancouver does not abide by the agreement made earlier in the season concerning referees and the Labor Day game.

The desire of Mr. Jones for the Labor Day match to be at Vancouver, with the home team to take all the proceeds, is the particular silver prickling the Royal City sports. They feel that it is only the fair thing for the match to be played in this city, as an offset to the Dominion Day game, for which Westminster went to all sorts of trouble with the Minto Cup trustees to play in Vancouver.

Replacing the two Vancouver and two Westminster officials by men from Victoria or Nanaimo does not please the Royal City players either. They do not think the island lacrosse enthusiasts are keeping close enough tabs on the game to hold down such a job. For the match Saturday, if played, the locals will use the same old defence, with the home lineup as follows: Center, W. Turnbull; third home, W. White; second home, C. Spring; first home, G. Spring; outside home, L. Turnbull; inside home, P. Latham.

Billy Lauder, the Calgary lightweight champion, is matched to fight Patsy McKenna in a twenty round contest at North Vancouver on Tuesday, July 27th.

The Sporting Editor of the Colonist is John P. Sweeney. Communications should be addressed to Sporting Editor, "Colonist," Broad Street.

CRICKETERS PLAY AT BEACON HILL TOMORROW

Tomorrow afternoon at the Albion cricket grounds at Beacon Hill the Empress Cricket Club will play the Albion's eleven.

The game is called for 2:30 o'clock, and all are requested to be on hand so that a good innings can be played.

TO DIVIDE A HANDSOME SUM

Hospital Day at the Willows
Track Proved Successful

Twenty-five hundred people flocked to the Willows track yesterday, the occasion being Hospital Day. In addition 1,500 others bought tags, so that about \$2,500 was realized for distribution between the two city hospitals.

Great interest was manifested in the occasion, and many ladies engaged in selling the tags. Mrs. Charles Sanford, of San Francisco, wife of one of the horsemen, was the most active among the ladies engaged in the latter task, and she alone disposed of 500 of the pasteborders.

Hon. James Dunsmuir and Chief Justice Hunter with a host of other prominent Victorians, were present, and the affair was a gala one.

The card was a good one. The track record of 1:42 3-5 for a mile was lowered in the event of the day, the owners' handicap, when Fantastic the pretty little daughter of Galore, with Vosper up romped home ahead of Johnstone in 1:42 flat, and earned for her owner, J. J. Ferguson, an additional \$50 hung up by the club.

The club is considering the advisability of setting apart another day for the benefit of the fund for the women's building at the agricultural grounds.

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Before the Mission club of San Francisco, the Jack Johnson-Al Kaufman feud, which has been waged in many wordy wars in the past few months, will be settled on the evening of August 27th. Jack Johnson's end will come to \$10,000, and the distance will be 20 rounds.

Vancouver gamblers are wagering large amounts of coin on tomorrow's lacrosse match between Vancouver and

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Plans to Pipe Commodity Through South Saanich to Oak Bay

The Esquimalt Waterworks company has purchased a water front lot in the Burleigh subdivision.

The action of the company is in connection with their plans of extension by which they will be in a position to

serve Oak Bay municipality and a portion of that of South Saanich.

The intention of the company, it is understood is to extend its present mains along the Craigflower road to Burleigh, going down an avenue to be known as Burleigh avenue to the waterfront. Piping the water across the Gorge to Harriett street, which is the boundary between Victoria and South Saanich, city and municipality each owning half of the road, the company will skirt the city's boundary going through South Saanich and around until it can enter Oak Bay.

The company will avoid in this manner any trouble with Victoria over laying mains beneath the city's streets.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Cooksley
 The funeral of the late Alberta

Amelia Cooksley, the 5-year-old daughter of John J. Cooksley, will take place this afternoon from the family residence, 344 St. James street, at 2.30 p. m. The Rev. D. McRae will officiate.

STREET ENCROACHMENTS

City Engineer Will Report on Existing Conditions on Johnson Street

When the proper street lines have been surveyed and established on registered plans, the fact that owners on such thoroughfares have been encroaching over the line for many years does not give any one owner the right to maintain his old line when he wishes to erect a new fence. Such, in substance, was the decision of the city council last night, when an application from the trustees of the Metropolitan church, to be allowed

to erect a cement fence around the parsonage at the corner of Johnson and Quadra streets, was considered. The street line of the lot is three feet over the proper line, and the trustees applied for the location of the right line at the same time suggesting that since all the other properties are also three feet out in the street they might be allowed to erect their fence on the old line.

It was suggested that as the width of the street, even allowing for the encroachment, is 63 feet it was plenty wide enough, but Ald. Stewart strenuously objected, claiming that however long it might take to get all owners back to the line the city might just as well make a start now.

As the city engineer stated that all the owners are encroaching Ald. Turner's suggestion that that official bring down a report showing the encroachments along the whole street was adopted.

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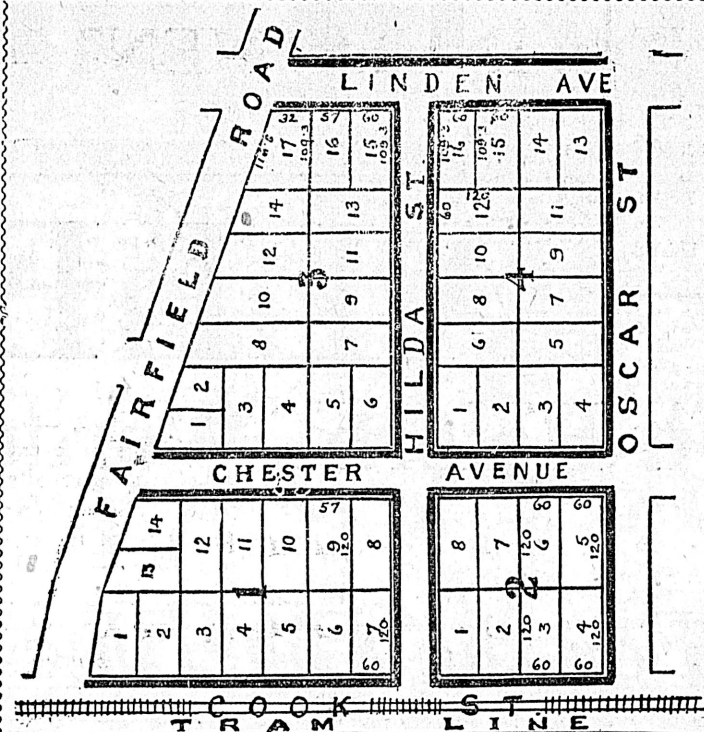
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THREE ROADS TRY FOR ROUTE

Active Competition to Secure
Line Along East Bank
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Vancouver, July 15.—The most portentous move yet made in a big railway war shaping between the Canadian Pacific, Canadian Northern, and Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in British Columbia came today in an official announcement of the first mentioned road that it intends to have a second complete line across British Columbia, at the same time occupying both banks of the precipitous canyon of the Fraser river.

The company intends to complete its line, now in operation from Nelson to Midway to the coast.

There are two ways of coming, one over the heavy grade of the Hope mountains, which is extremely unlikely, and the other through the Similkameen to Spence's Bridge and then down through the Fraser Canyon on the east side of the river.

Surveys have been completed and a very light grade along the river will be obtained. It is declared officially to be an impossibility to build another line on the west side of the Fraser through the 65 miles of successive canyons, and to overcome the difficulty the C. P. R., under an old charter will occupy both sides.

The Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific are both heading for the same bank and there is room for only one line. A live fight for supremacy is in prospect.

Much Coveted Route
Construction will be started at Clisno Flat and carried towards the coast for a distance of 61 miles, the line crossing from the east to the west bank at a point somewhere between Agassiz and Ruby creek. When this crossing is effected trains running down the east bank of the Fraser through the canyon will gain the present main line for entrance to Vancouver.

Three railroads are heading for Vancouver through the canyon of the Fraser, the west bank of which is now occupied by the C. P. R., and as there is only room for one line on the east bank from Clisno Flat to Yale, there promises to be a pretty struggle for the coveted right of way. At present the C. P. R. is in the lead in this race for the right to hang a railway line along the face of the cliffs on the east wall of this canyon, which till now has never supported anything more up-to-date in the way of transportation possibilities than the old Cariboo road. Pressing the C. P. R. in the rear is the Canadian Northern railway, and somewhere in the distance is the Grand Trunk Pacific.

It is a physical impossibility for another railway to be built along the west bank of the Fraser between Yale and Clisno Flat, as the only available ground there is now occupied by the

C. P. R. tracks. Were an attempt made to lay a second line on the west bank of the river, blasting operations along the cliffs would cover the existing tracks many feet deep with rock every time a shot was fired. No second line is therefore possible. If the west bank will not hold two lines of tracks, it is ten times more impossible to place two tracks on the east side of the canyon, where the cliffs are more frequent and more precipitous than on the opposite side of the river. Any body who has looked out of the railway coach windows when passing through the canyon, and observed the remains of the old Cariboo road tacked against the almost perpendicular walls will instantly realize the difficulty in the way of constructing a roadbed on that side of the river—one is possible, two impossible.

Ready to Commence
Everything is now about ready for the commencement of construction, and in some quarters it is expected that word will be received to start the dirt flying before the end of the present summer.

The Canadian Northern railway is also conducting surveys through the canyon of the Fraser on the east bank between Yale and Clisno Flat. Apparently the builders of this railway are sanguine of securing the necessary authority to build through the canyon on the east side of the river owing to the fact that the Canadian Northern route map, filed with the minister of railways in April, was approved. This route map covers the east bank of the river through the canyon. The Grand Trunk Pacific is also after the same privilege, and has been fighting the Canadian Northern at Ottawa for the choice of routes into Vancouver. In the meantime the C. P. R. has been saying nothing, but its surveyors have been getting over the ground at an amazing rate, and today it is declared that construction could be started tomorrow, so far as the location lines of the road are concerned.

In the event of the Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific deciding that they wanted their own tracks they would have to take a route to the east or west of the Fraser to the coast from Kamloops. Kamloops is a common point for both railways, and they could push south from there through the Nicola and up the Coquella to the Hope Mountain pass, a route well known to involve construction of the heaviest and most expensive kind, or run from Kamloops to Lillooet and through the Pemberton and Squamish valleys to tidewater at Howe Sound. The key to the whole situation is that right of way along the east bank of the Fraser river through the canyon.

ORGANIZING A NAVAL MILITIA

Naval League Branch at Vancouver
Advocates Formation of Naval
Volunteer Force

A movement has been inaugurated at Vancouver for the formation of a naval militia.

The Vancouver branch of the Navy league, in the furtherance of its aim to promote whatever will lend to strengthen the naval supremacy of the British empire, discussed at the annual general meeting of the association held in the board of trade rooms recently, the organization of a naval volunteer force in Vancouver. Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, the president of the league, who presided, explained that under the regulations of the present Militia act, there was no provision for the organization and maintenance of a naval volunteer force, but the league had felt the importance of such an organization and the honorary secretary had prepared a form to which those who desired to co-operate and support in the formation of a naval

volunteer reserve force were asked to subscribe their names. Such a list of volunteers would, when brought before the militia authorities of the Dominion, serve to indicate that when naval reserve forces were authorized, there would be a body of men at this port ready to enlist, and put the scheme into practical use.

This proposal of the league was heartily endorsed by several members present, Captain Eddie and Captain Archer pointing out the practical and educational value of such an organization. Lieut. Reid, R. N. R., urged that instruction in submarine tactics especially should be made part of the training of the reservists, as in time of war this would add to their efficiency in such a port as Vancouver.

Previous to this discussion, the annual election of officers of the local branch of the Navy league was held, and resulted, as follows: President, Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K. C. M. G.; vice-president Rev. H. G. Flenness-Clintont; secretary, Capt. Charles Eddie, M. S. G.; committee, David Robertson, Hon. Charles Wilson, K. C.; Thomas Wilson, Capt. G. A. Boulton, Capt. J. A. Fullerton, Charles E. Hope, A. C. Ross, W. H. Malkin, P. Spenser, H. O. Bell-Irving, C. B. Stahlschmidt, Edmund Bell, Alfred Shaw and Capt. Archer.

NORWEGIANS ARE EVADING NEW LAW

Foreign Steamers Now Make Newfoundland Call—Many Leaving Eastern Canadian Waters

The law which has been in effect on this coast since the year began and was effective from the beginning of this month on the eastern coast excluding Norwegian steamers from the coastwise trade of Canada, is being evaded by some of the foreign freighters by making a call at St. John's, Newfoundland.

A Halifax correspondent writes: The new law regarding foreign vessels coasting in Canadian waters, which applies more to Norwegians than to any other nation, went into effect the first of this month and as a result quite a number of steamers under 1,500 tons, to which the law applies, which have been carrying coal between Cape Breton and Montreal, will have to seek charters elsewhere. Among the steamers affected are the Tanke Kjenford and Sporet.

"Several of the steamers will, it is understood, be retained and put in the trade between Cape Breton and Newfoundland, which will be a way of keeping them chartered and yet evade the new law. There are a number of other steamers chartered by Nova Scotia firms and engaged in the coastwise trade which will not be affected by the act, as they are above 1,500 tons register. The act does not affect steamers registered in a foreign country and chartered in Canada, but trading with foreign ports. The worst invaders of Canadian ports have been the Norwegians. The chartering of those vessels was the means of throwing Canadian vessels and sailors out of employment and driving many of the latter to the United States to seek work. The matter was taken up some time ago by a number of Canadian shipmasters, and as a result all foreign vessels under 1,500 tons are now excluded from our coastwise trade.

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from Cardiff to Esquimalt. She left the Welsh port on June 12. The Floriston is being sent out by the Lords of the Admiralty with coal for the remnant of the naval station that remains, and tenders are being called for the discharge of the cargo of the Floriston, expected to reach this port about the middle of next month.

The third class cruiser Bedford, now on the China station, is shortly to be ordered to Esquimalt, and is to be sent to San Francisco in September in company with H. M. S. Algerine and Shearwater, if the Admiralty does not send one of the sloops to the south Pacific in search of possible survivors of the missing bark Australian.

It is many years since a coal ship was sent by the Admiralty to Esquimalt, the store of Welsh coal kept on this station being before that time brought out by sailing ships.

CANADA TO FRANCE BY ALLAN LINE

Subsidy Given for Service Between St. Lawrence and French Ports

The following clause has been added to the Ocean Steamships Subsidies Act: The governor in council may enter into contract or contracts for a term or terms not exceeding in all ten years, with any individual or company for the performance of a steamship service between a port or ports in Canada and a French port or ports, on such terms and conditions as the governor in council deems expedient, and may grant therefor a subsidy not exceeding \$200,000 a year, based upon a minimum service of 15 round voyages a year, and a subsidy therefor not exceeding \$100,000, and so in proportion for a more frequent service. The amount required shall be paid out of the consolidated revenue fund of Canada.

The object of this amendment is to diminish by three the number of voyages required to earn the minimum subsidy of \$100,000, previously granted. Under the clause which the present one replaces, the number of voyages required was 18, at a stipulated average speed of 10 knots an hour, and under the new clause, while the number of voyages is decreased by three, the average speed is raised to 12 knots an hour. It is announced that a contract for such service for one year has been made with the Allan line.

CAREER OF LATE CAPT. E. V. ROBERTS

Master of Minnesota Who Died on Board at Nagasaki Fought During War With Spain

Captain E. V. Roberts, master of the Hill liner Minnesota whose death as a result of heart disease is reported from Nagasaki, Japan, came to this coast four years ago to take command of the steamer Shawmut of the Boston steamship company, vice Captain Smith. He was a native of Wales, and took to the sea in early life. His aptitude for marine matters was such that he was rapidly advanced, and while still a comparatively young man found himself captain of the steamer City of Paris, plying between Liverpool and Philadelphia. For many years he operated this vessel and was then master of several other large steamships. At the commencement of the Spanish-American war he enlisted in the volunteer navy and was made captain of a fast ves-

sel which the government bought and mounted guns upon and used for coast service. He was at Santiago at the time of the great naval battle. Following the war he went back into the steamship service with the Boston steamship company. He came to this coast as master of the steamer Shawmut, plying between this port and the Philippines. Recently, when this vessel was sold to the government for service between New York and the Isthmus of Panama, he took her around the Horn to New York.

Capt. Roberts was married in Philadelphia, and is survived by a widow and three children. His remains will be taken to Philadelphia for burial.

MODEL OF EMPRESS ON EXHIBITION

Complete Miniature of the White Liner on Show at the Empress Hotel

A fine model of the Empress liners which ply on the Pacific for the C. P. R. complete in every detail has been received at the Empress hotel and is on exhibition in the porch of the side entrance near the grill room. The model of the Empress liner includes the armament which few are aware is stored for the steamer. The three Empress liners are auxiliary cruisers and equipped with nine guns, four twelve pounders mounted in the well at either side fore and aft, and five six-pounders.

Now Dropping Coal

The old Victoria sealing schooner Florence M. Smith, sent from this port some years ago with the E. B. Mar-

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NEW 7-ROOM DWELLING, modern. Large basement, cement floor, furnace, choice locality, easy terms—

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SOME CLASS TO THIS. Modern house of 7 rooms on large corner lot, Oak Bay Avenue—

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vin for the Cape Horn sealing grounds, and later taken to Halifax and sold, is now carrying coal to Halifax from New York.

DINED CAPT. KINNEY AND PRESENTED PIPE

Interesting Function Held Last Night to Honor Retiring Master of Senator

Some of the members of the staff of R. P. Rither and Co.'s shipping department tendered a complimentary dinner to Captain Kinney, who recently resigned command of the British ship Senator, long disengaged at Esquimalt, to take command of one of the stern-wheel steamers of the Grand Trunk Pacific company. Captain Kinney was the recipient of a handsome meerschaum pipe and case, given him by the shipping men. Many kindly remarks were made, wishing the captain success in his new post.

CHARTERED THE PRINCESS CHARLOTTE

Another Excursion to Be Made to Queen Charlotte Islands in October.

Mr. D. R. Young has just completed arrangements with the Canadian Pacific railway for the chartering of the steamer Princess Charlotte to make a round trip to the Queen Charlotte Islands in October. This trip will be practically a repetition of the one made last May, which was attended by a large number of Victoria and Vancou-

ver business men. The vessel has been chartered for five days.

GERMAN LINER ASHORE IN AMBROSE CHANNEL

New York, July 15.—The steamer Prinz Eitel Friedrich which left her pier today for Bremen, is aground in the Ambrose channel on her way down the bay. She is in an easy position and it is expected will be released on the rising tide.

Empress of China.
The R. M. S. Empress of China left Yokohama on Tuesday for this port. She is due here July 23.

Race to Guaymas.
A spirited race to Guaymas is in prospect between the lumber laden schooners Ariel, Captain Spicer, and Susie M. Plummer, Captain Hanson. The Ariel went to sea Wednesday afternoon, from Aberdeen, while the Plummer left yesterday. While neither vessel is noted as a clipper, the expected race will be interesting.

Hawthornbank Out.
Laden with lumber from Hastings mill to Iquique the British bark Hawthornbank, Captain Ballantyne, passed out yesterday in tow of the tug Wanderer. The vessel took about 1,160,000 feet of lumber, which is the largest lumber cargo ever packed into her. The Hawthornbank brought a cargo of creosote from Terneuzen, Holland, to Eagle harbor, and was over 200 days on the voyage, head winds and flat calms on the Atlantic delaying her.

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This will be the greatest feast of high-class merchandise ever offered to the people of Victoria and vicinity. This entire stock must be sold regardless of cost or value. It is not a question of what an article cost or is worth, but rather how low we must cut the price to get rid of the goods at once. THIS SALE MEANS GREAT SAVINGS TO YOU. The original cost is a secondary consideration with us. We have put a price on the stock that will move it, and move it quick. Remember, we have only FOURTEEN DAYS to dispose of this splendid STOCK. The chance of a life-time now stares you in the face. Prices will be cut to a whisper. Come and see for yourself, for what your eyes see your heart must surely believe. Remember, rain or shine this GREAT BARGAIN FEAST will open on SATURDAY, JULY 17TH, AT 9 A. M., for Fourteen Days Only. These are only a few samples of Prices showing how goods will be sold, prices never before heard of on high-grade stock of Modern Merchandise. Read this advertisement and think. It means Dollars TO YOU.

<p>Men's Suits</p> <p>150 Men's Suits, in light and dark mixtures. All new goods. The latest styles made by the best tailors in Canada. They are worth from \$15.00 to \$20.00. Now your choice for\$7.65</p> <p>75 Two-Piece Summer Suits, made out of the best homespun and fancy flannel, in stripes and plain colors. Regular price \$16.50 to \$20.00. They will go during this Sale for\$7.95</p> <p>30 Men's Suits, in large sizes, from 42 to 48, made out of the best blue serge, all well made and warranted. Regular price \$22.50 to \$25.00. Will go during this Sale for\$14.85</p> <p>125 Men's Suits, all high-grade goods, all well made and nicely trimmed, single and double-breasted styles. They are worth \$18.00 to \$22.00. Your choice for\$12.75</p>	<p>Boys' and Youths' Clothing</p> <p>Boys' Suits. Sizes from 26 to 34, in single and double-breasted, all shades, light and dark, and fancy mixtures. Regular price \$7.50 to \$8.50. Now your choice for\$4.45</p> <p>75 Boys' Suits. Extra fine goods, in all shades, well made. Worth from \$10.00 to \$12.50. Your choice for\$6.45</p> <p>50 Youths' Suits, in all shades and sizes. Regular price \$11.50 to \$16.00. Your choice\$8.95</p> <p>Youths' Raincoats, in all sizes, and made in fancy and staple shades. Regular price \$8.00 to \$10.00. Your choice\$5.95</p> <p>Boys' Raincoats in all sizes. Regular price \$7.00 to \$8.00. Now for\$3.95</p>	<p>Men's Summer Overcoats and Raincoats</p> <p>Men's Covert Coats, in medium light shades, all sizes. Worth \$15.00 to \$18.00. Now your choice....\$9.55</p> <p>Men's Spring and Summer Overcoats. Rainproof, in all shades and sizes. Regular price \$16.00 to \$18.00. Your choice for\$8.55</p> <p>Men's Lightweight Raincoats, in all sizes and colors. Regular price \$18.00. Now take your pick for\$10.95</p> <p>Men's Chesterfield Overcoats, in medium and heavy-weight, in dark colors, all sizes. Regular price \$22.00 to \$25.00. Your choice for.....\$11.45</p>	<p>Men's and Boys' Pants</p> <p>150 Pairs of Men's Fine Pants, in blue, black and fancy shades, all sizes. Regular price \$4.50 to \$5.00. Your choice for\$2.45</p> <p>200 Pair of Men's Fine Pants, made out of the best worsted cloth, in all shades and all sizes. Regular price \$6.00 to \$7.00. Your choice for\$3.95</p> <p>We have a large assortment of Smoking Jackets, Fancy Vests and Work Vests, and Dressing Gowns and Dusters, which will be sold during the Sale for less than the cost of the raw material. Ask our clerks to show you the same.</p>
<p>MERCHANTS PLEASE TAKE NOTICE</p> <p>Merchants who wish to buy goods during this great sale we will ask them to come during the hour between 9 and 10 a. m., as we are not so rushed during the above hour, therefore it will give us more time to wait on you.</p> <p>(Signed) ALLEN & CO. Canadian Mercantile Co.</p>	<p>NOTICE</p> <p>Our store will be closed Thursday and Friday, July 15 and 16, to give us ample time to mark goods down and rearrange our stock.</p> <p>Positively no one allowed in the store and no goods sold until Saturday, July 17, at 9 a. m.</p>	<p>OUR GUARANTEE</p> <p>We assure each and every purchaser absolute satisfaction. We guarantee every article and every statement herein made while the sale continues and we will take back or refund the money on any purchase unsatisfactory for any reason.</p> <p>(Signed) ALLEN & CO. Canadian Mercantile Co.</p>	<p>FREE RAILROAD EXCURSIONS</p> <p>We will pay your railroad fare for the round trip for a distance of 25 miles if you will purchase during this sale \$20.00 worth or over. Be sure and buy your return trip tickets.</p> <p>(Signed) ALLEN & CO. Canadian Mercantile Co.</p>

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TAN OXFORDS—Tan Calf Oxford Shoes, either straight laced, new ring eyelets or with buckles. All genuine Goodyear welt soles. Regular \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50. Sale price **\$3.45**

TAN BOOTS—Tan Russia Calf or Chocolate Kid, Blucher Cut Boots, Goodyear welt soles, in all styles. Regular \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50. Sale price **\$3.45**

BLACK BOOTS—In Velour Calf, Vici Kid or Patent Leather, all new styles, light or stout soles. Regular \$5.00. Sale price **\$3.45**

MEN'S BOOTS—In Chocolate Kid, Wine Kid, Box Calf or Velour Calf. Good looking and thoroughly reliable. Regular \$4.00 and \$4.50. Sale price **\$2.75**

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LADIES' BOOTS—High-Grade Patent Colt Blucher Boots, Goodyear welt soles. Smart, dressy lasts. Regular \$1.00. Sale price **\$2.95**

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ALHAMBRA HOTEL—Mrs. S. Thompson and Sons, proprietors.

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THE WILSON HOTEL—418 Yates street, opposite King Edward Hotel.

WING ON, 1709 Government St. Phone 23.

JAPANESE, HINDU AND CHINESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—All kinds of labor, general contractor.

COSY CORNER General Employment Bureau and department for rooms and board.

THE DEVEREUX EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. Phone 447.

WANTED—Three general maids, plain cooking; bungalow, homes; references.

WANTED—Women for daily work; also two mother's help.

WANTED—Ten families for camping sites; supplying their own outfit; charming sea side; excellent springs.

WANTED—Boy, 16, for ranch; good milker and able to drive wagon; good wages.

WANTED—Four boys, ages 16; also girls, easy factory work; wages good, according to capability (city.)

MISCELLANEOUS. FOR SALE—Piano and gramophone; must sell as parties are going east.

MONEY LOANED—We pay highest cash prices for diamonds, jewelry, guns, furs, old gold and silver.

LADIES' WATCHES, gunmetal, \$5.00 to \$9.00; silver, \$6.00 to \$10.00.

ONE SMALL hack or coupe for sale. At Wm. Westring, 67 Bell St.

WIRELESS TELEPHONES for seating without wires (long or short distance) are the latest great invention.

QUOTE lowest figure for 100 Silica Brick, 100 Bakeries, Ltd. The Exchange, 718 Fort St.

WANTED—To purchase immediately second-hand Empire typewriter for cash.

FOR SALE—Hunting and fishing camp in midst of good hunting and fishing.

ORDERS TAKEN for home-made jams and jellies and orange marmalade.

PROTECT your life and roof against fire by getting one of Jones long and light ladders.

BOARDERS WANTED. BOARDERS WANTED—in best district, pleasant rooms, liberal table; charges moderate.

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CICILIAN PLAYERS; nearly new. Can be adjusted to any piano.

HENRY E. JONES, Psychic Medium. Consultations daily.

DURING Miss Thain's absence Mr. Fritz Homan of Fisher & Leiser.

WANTED—To buy automobile touring car in first-class condition.

THE SCOTT MEDICAL CO., 189 Marion street, Seattle, Wash.

STUMP-PULLERS for sale and for hire. Contracts taken, no matter how small.

WANTED—A lady about 16 years to drive milk wagon and milk.

WANTED—Smart educated lad for office. Plimley's Auto Co., Ltd.

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WANTED—Servant girl at Cor. Cook and Pembroke St.

WANTED—Girl for housework, small family; no washing.

TO LET—New bungalow, 6 rooms, bathroom and basement.

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HALL TO LET—60x100, in view of Victoria Creamery building.

TO RENT—With immediate possession, new 10-roomed furnished house.

TO LET—Furnished and unfurnished houses.

TO RENT—Six-roomed house with stable and grounds.

TO LET—6-roomed house; first street. Everything modern.

TO LET—Six-roomed house; end of Douglas St. car line.

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TO LET—Large ten-room house on Rockland avenue.

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ANTIQUE JEWELRY, Diamonds, Engravings and Pictures bought and sold.

BAGGAGE promptly handled at current rates by the Victoria Transfer Co.

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LADY would like position as useful companion, traveling or country preferred.

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WANTED—MALE HELP. WANTED—Boy as an apprentice to the drug business.

WANTED—A teacher for the Port Simpson school; salary \$80 a month.

TEACHER WANTED—Englishman preferred; salary \$85 per month.

WANTED—Immediately, experienced lead glass workers.

WANTED—An experienced grocery salesman.

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THE STUART ROBERTSON CO. Limited, 1212 Broad Street.

FOR SALE—Residences in all parts of the city.

Good greenhouse business. Ten acres in Strawberry Vale.

Two CHOICE LOTS on Cordova Bay, with beach frontage.

LEE AND FRASER. 612 Troncoe Ave.

GORDON HEAL—Seven acres of cleared land for \$2,250.

\$500—Will purchase a splendid building lot on Frances Ave.

\$2,700 ONLY for a five-roomed house and one acre of cleared land.

\$2,750 FOR a new five-roomed cottage on Stanley Ave.

\$1,700 WILL buy a five-roomed cottage on Ontario street.

\$1,200 ONLY for a six-roomed house on Centre Road.

\$8,000 TO LOAN on first mortgage, real estate security.

H. O. CASE, Shawmaglan Lake, B. C.

FOR SALE—75 acres fruit land, 10-room house, barn and outbuildings.

70 ACRES; 25 acres alder land, balance mostly good fruit land.

22 ACRES, partly cleared and cultivated, 6-room cottage, barn and large poultry houses.

140 ACRES, all fenced; 10-room house, barn, etc.

POULTRY AND LIVE STOCK. A GOOD DRIVER thoroughbred mare, for sale cheap.

FOR SALE—Heavy team, wagon and harness; price \$500.

FOR SALE—Four-year-old driving mare. Apply 169 Fort St.

FOR SALE—Heavy draft horse, 7 years old, good for dump cart.

FOR SALE—First-class horse, buggy, harness, etc.

FOR SALE—Team of well-matched black mares, 4 and 7 years old.

FOR SALE—A standard-bred driver; 4-year-old, very good.

FRESH COWS for sale. H. Walker, Delta St., off Burnside Road.

WANTED—Two small pigs. R. Scarborough, Postoffice, Victoria.

WANTED—Young bay mare, good driver or light express.

WANTED—To rent, a bedroom with use of living room, kitchen, etc.

DALLAS ROAD—Furnished rooms, breakfast, Beachcroft, Boyd St.

TO LET—Furnished rooms; breakfast if desired.

TO LET—Comfortably furnished rooms with use of kitchen.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Breakfast if required; all modern conveniences.

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms, with bath.

TO LET—One or two bedrooms for single gentlemen.

THE "OAKS," 817 McClure St., corner Fourth and Douglas.

ONLY modern rooming house in Victoria; private bath, electric light.

SPENCER'S FRIDAY OFFERINGS

Women's Linen and Jumper Suits \$6.75

Regular \$8.50 to \$9.50. Friday Special for
HOW COULD ANY LADY go without having one of these fine suits at this price? They are made of fine linen, in blue and white, three-quarter length, semi-fitting coat, with straps of lace insertion over shoulder and down front, also have back panel. Skirt is circular cut and lace trimmed, and considering the quality material is a bargain at the old price, \$9.50. Friday Special to clear**\$6.75**

Women's Cashmere Hose, 35c

Regular value 50c. Friday
EVERY LADY wishing to make a substantial saving will be here tomorrow, as we are placing for quick clearance a specially fine line of Women's Black Cashmere Hose at one-third less their regular value, and it is safe to say that on Friday they will be entirely cleared out. The regular value was, per pair, 50c. Friday they are marked at**35c**

Men's Underwear

Regular values \$1.00 to \$1.75. Friday Special **75c**

A better opportunity was never afforded for men to replenish their underwear needs than what is offered here Friday. The regular values run as high as \$1.75, but for Friday we have deducted the dollar and have marked them down to 75c. Below are a few descriptions—

MEN'S SUPERFINE FRENCH SILK LUSTRE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, in pretty shades of blue and grey, with a fancy white stripe, excellent underwear, well finished and soft to the skin. Nothing pleasanter for summer wear.

MEN'S FRENCH HEALTH BRAND OF NATURAL WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, a nice light weight and fine make, soft to the skin.

MEN'S WHITE AND BLUE ELASTIC RIBBED Lisle SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, best make, fit the figure snugly, and comfortable and neat to use, especially suitable for tall men, strong and cool for hot days.

Hair Brushes, 50c

Special Friday at
THIS BARGAIN includes both solid and screw back, with pure bristles. Ordinarily they would sell at 35 per cent more, but Friday you can take your choice at**50c**

Cottons at Remarkably Low Prices

COTTONS, bleached cotton, 36 in. wide, heavy quality. Regular price 10c. July Sale Price is **8 1-2c**

BLEACHED COTTON, 36 in. wide, heavy quality. Regular price 12 1-2c. July Sale Price **10c**

BLEACHED COTTON, 36 in. wide, fine, heavy grade. Regular price 15c. July Sale Price **12 1-2c**

MULL COTTON, 36 in. wide, very fine and soft. Suitable for fine underwear. Regular 20c. July Sale Price **12 1-2c**

Dress Goods at Half Price at Our July Sale

Striped Batiste, regular 50c, for **25c**

FANCY STRIPED BATISTE DRESS GOODS, extra good quality, in light grounds and stripes. Regular price 50c. July Sale Price, per yard **25c**

Striped Mohair, regular 50c, for **25c**

STRIPED MOHAIR, in grey and fawn grounds and colored stripes, exceptionally good bargain. Regular price 50c. July Sale per yard **25c**

Have Your Hair Dressed

In the most becoming style possible, a style that is attractive and which suits you best. If you want to be in fashion, do not fail to consult Mme. Russell, whose headquarters are in the Annex, third floor. Madame Russell is assisted by a trained staff of experienced assistants. She also makes a specialty of Manicuring, Chiropody, etc., at prices most reasonable.

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Ladies' Linen Costumes, \$6.75

Regular value \$8.50. Friday for

ON FRIDAY every lady will have ample chance to get a good serviceable stylish costume at a bargain price. These are regularly sold at \$8.50, but tomorrow they can be had at a substantial saving. They are made of fine quality linen, in fancy stripes, and colors of blue and white, brown and white, and mauve and white. Coats are three-quarter length, semi-fitting, with plain tailor finish. Skirts are circular cut. Regular value \$8.50. Special Friday **\$6.75**

Women's Jumper Waists, \$3.90

Regular value \$5.75 and \$6.75, for

ON FRIDAY we are placing on sale a specially fine line of Women's Pongee Jumper Waists. These come in some very fascinating styles, made of exceptionally good quality pongee. The regular value of these garments were \$5.75 and \$6.75, but to make them move away quickly we have marked them for Friday's selling at the remarkably low price of **\$3.90**

Ladies' Linen Costumes, \$6.75

Regular value \$8.75. Friday
THESE ARE SPECIAL VALUES, INDEED. Here is a description of one of them which will appeal to every lady of taste. It is made of fine linen, in tan shade, single-breasted style, cutaway coat, with fancy buttons, roll collar and cuffs finished with stitching. Skirt plain circular cut with stitching. Regular \$8.75. Special Friday at **\$6.75**

Ladies' Underwear, 25c

Regular 35c. Friday for

LADIES' COTTON VESTS, fine quality, low neck, strap over shoulder. Regular 35c. Friday **25c**

LADIES' VESTS, medium low neck, short sleeves and sleeveless. Regular 35c. Friday **25c**

LADIES' FINE COTTON VESTS, low neck, sleeveless, finished with lace. Regular 35c. Friday **25c**

LADIES' COTTON DRAWERS, long, close fitting, in closed and opened styles. Regular 35c. Friday **25c**

LADIES' COTTON CORSET COVERS, long and no sleeves. Regular 35c. Friday **25c**

Dinner Sets Marked Very Low for Friday Selling

It is needless to say that these dinner sets will clear quickly at these prices. The assortments, while varied, give ample change for choice. So be here Friday and take advantage of these extremely low prices.

97-PIECE DINNER SETS, green floral decoration. Very useful set, in English semi-porcelain. Specially priced very low at **\$7.50**

97-PIECE DINNER SET, English semi-porcelain, good, strong ware, neatly decorated in peacock blue and every piece gilt. Special Price **\$9.90**

97-PIECE DINNER SET, English semi-porcelain, pink trellis with small rose decoration. "Old Dresden" style. Priced to sell quickly at **\$10.75**

100-PIECE DINNER SETS, Austrian china, several different styles and decorations, roses, violets, May, etc. Clean, light and strong and no useless pieces. Excellent value at **\$15.00**

97-PIECE ENGLISH SEMI-PORCELAIN DINNER SET, dark blue border and decorated with dark blue and pink flowers, traced and edged with bright gold. Special at **\$18.75**

100-PIECE AUSTRIAN CHINA DINNER SET, newest shapes, decorated with roses and partially gilt, very neat and pretty pattern. Special Price **\$20.00**

100-PIECE AUSTRIAN CHINA DINNER SET, clean white body with cherry blossoms in sprays. A very pleasing pattern. Special at **\$22.50**

99-PIECE DINNER SET, fine Austrian china, full size platters and a most useful assortment, decorated with a profusion of roses, relieved with solid gold. Special Price **\$25.00**

Other Special Opportunities

OPEN STOCK DINNERWARE, with plain gold or embossed borders. Sets may be made up to suit any sized family, at Special Prices—

Flat Round Plates, 5 sizes. Per dozen, \$1.25, \$1.00, 85c, 75c and **60c**

Deep Soup Plates. Per dozen **\$1.00**

Fruit Saucers, two sizes. Per dozen, 60c and **50c**

Oatmeal Dishes. Per dozen **75c**

Cups and Saucers. Per dozen **\$1.25**

Covered Vegetable Dishes, each **75c**

Open Vegetable Dishes. Each, 35c and **25c**

Soup Caseroles. Each **\$1.50**

Sauce Tureens, four pieces **75c**

Gravy Boats. Each **25c**

Sugar Bowls. Each **50c**

Meat Platters, 5 sizes. Each, \$1.75, \$1.25, 75c, 50c and **35c**

Some New Arrivals in Mouldings

JUST ARRIVED—Wide range of designs in Room Mouldings—

Plain and Fancy Gills. Per foot, 5c and **10c**

Real Oak, well finished on seasoned material. Per foot **5c**

Imitation Oak, true in grain and color. Per foot **5c**

White Enamel, with burnished gilt line. Per foot **10c**

Composition Colors, in harmoniously blended shades and gilt finish. Per foot **5c**

Dado and Panel Mouldings, in gilt and oak. Per foot, 5c, 10c and **15c**

Card Rail, with moulding attachment, white enamel. Per foot **15c**

Plate Rail, polished imitation oak, various sizes. Per foot **15c**

Ladies' Stylish Blouses of All Descriptions and Prices

No matter what kind of a Blouse or Waist you wish, you will find by visiting that section, on the second floor, an assortment which would do credit to the larger stores of Eastern centres. There are styles enough to suit everybody, while the prices make buying here wise economy.

Blouses at 35c

Just think of it—getting a decidedly well-made and finished Muslin Blouse at 35c! If you were to purchase the material and make one yourself, you would find it would cost considerably more than what we are asking for them. Just come in and look them over.

Net Blouses at \$1.90

THE ASSORTMENT of fine Net Blouses which are shown at \$1.90 is indeed worthy of note. They are beautifully finished, and are fit for any occasion. Lined with silk, in the latest and most attractive styles of the season. Priced for quick selling at **\$1.90**

Blouses at 65c

Another lot which you can economize on. In the assortment shown at this price they are made of fine mulls, in the season's most fascinating styles. Some are plain, while you will find a goodly number beautifully trimmed with eyelet insertion. Come in and look them over. You will readily see their real worth.

Underskirts at 90c

WHEN IN THE STORE you should not leave without being shown the splendid values to be had in White Underskirts. These are made of cambric and mulls, with deep flounce, splendidly made, and worth half as much more than the price we are asking for them, which ranges upwards from **90c**

Mail Order Dept.

Is complete in every detail. All orders received are made up and shipped same day. A thoroughly trained and competent staff of mail order assistants does your purchasing with the same exactitude as if you were attending personally, while our Catalogue conveys to you Fashion's latest dictates, marked at prices to meet all purses.

A Place for the Weary

No better place to spend a few moments' rest than our Tea Room, third floor. For refreshment you will find nothing so good as a cup of our famous Mem Sabs tea. Just the place, too, to get a light lunch and eliminate all midday meal worries.

Towelling

COTTON ROLLER TOWELLING, red border, 16 in. wide, bird's-eye pattern. Regular 10c. Price **8 1-2c**

LINEN HUCK TOWELING, 17 in. wide. Regular 15c. Special. **12 1-2c**

LINEN GLASS CLOTH, red or blue check, 21 in. wide. Regular 12 1/2c per yard. Price **10c**

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